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Births.

COATSWORTH.—September 14, at Burwood, the wife of H. F. Coatsworth, of a daughter.

COPP.—September 18, at her residence, the Miller's Point Dispensary, the wife of J. Copp, chemist, of a daughter.

HERN.—August 8, at 14, Cambridge-terrace, Hyde Park, London, Mrs. Charles E. Hern, of a daughter.

HUMPHERY.—September 10, at her residence, Riley-street, off Edward-street, North Shore, the wife of Arthur Sydney Humphery, of a daughter.

STEPHENSON.—September 14, at her residence, Edward-street, Summer Hill, the wife of George Stephenson, of a son.

Marriages.

CORBETT—TYRRELL.—September 12, at St. Peter's, East Maitland, by the Right Rev. the Bishop of Newcastle, assisted by the Rev. Canon White, of Muswellbrook, Henry John, only son of the late Thomas B. Corbett, of Newcastle, to Frances E., eldest daughter of the Rev. Canon Tyrrell, East Maitland.

EARNSHAW—FARNSHAW.—August 14, 1883, at 213, Macquarie-street, by the Rev. Dr. Fullerton, George Wellington Earnshaw, of Sydney, to Emma Jane Earnshaw, of Sydney.

LOCHHEAD—MARTIN.—September 12, at St. John's Church, Raymond Terrace, by the Rev. S. Simms, incumbent, assisted by the Rev. M. Walsh, of Lochinvar, Frederick Walter, third son of W. K. Lochhead, Esq., J.P., of Newcastle, to Ada Frances, only daughter of G. C. Martin, Esq., J.P., of Raymond Terrace.

ROSS—PORTER.—September 5, at St. Mary's Church, Waverley, by the Rev. Stanley Mitchell, David, eldest son of David D. Ross, of Redfern, to Emily Charlotte, only daughter of Frederick Porter, of Waverley.

Deaths.

ARONSON.—September 17, at 5 Lancaster Villas, Ocean-street, Woollahra, the beloved infant of Fred and Zara Aronson, aged 13 days.

BISHOP.—September 18, at her residence, Hill-street, Newtown, Mary Haigh, the beloved wife of Edwin Plankett Bishop, Department of Mines, and youngest daughter of F. J. Kenett, of Pitt-street, Redfern.

GARDNER.—September 18, at his parents' residence, the beloved son of Annie and William D. Gardner, aged seven months. Melbourne papers please copy.

LESLIE.—In loving remembrance of William Gibb Leslie, who departed this life September 19, 1882.

MACMASTER.—September 1, at Tinenloro Station, Warrego River, Queensland, John, eldest son of the late John MacMaster, of Sydney, New South Wales, and only brother of Ewen A. MacMaster and Catharine M. Lawson, of Sydney, aged 33 years.

MAGUIRE.—In fond and affectionate remembrance of Patrick Maguire, who died on September 19, 1877. "The memory of the just is blessed." R. I. P.

MOSMAN.—August 24, at Clarges-street, Piccadilly, London, Harriet, widow of the late Archibald Mosman, of Glen Innes, and Bank Cottage, Armidale, also of Randwick.

SPOFFORTH.—September 15, at Collaroy, aged 35 years, Edward Arthur, eldest son of the late Edward Spofforth.

SHAW.—September 16, 1883, at his residence, 60, Castlereagh-street North, Mr. Geo. B. Shaw, artist, in his 72nd year, after a lengthened period [illegible] Edinburgh papers copy.

STEEL.—In affectionate remembrance of Anthony Steel, the beloved father of Thomas Steel, who departed this life on September 19, 1861, at Balmain.

AGENCE HAVAS, 8, Place de la Bourse, Paris.—AGENTS for THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD, the SYDNEY MAIL, and the ECHO in France and Belgium. Advertisements can be received, and files of the above newspapers inspected. London Address:—AGENCE MITCHELL, 85, Gracechurch-street.

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PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company's Steamships (under contract with the Victorian Government for the Conveyance of H.M. Mails) will be despatched as under, from the Company's Wharf, at the Circular Quay, FOR PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Steamer.	Tns.	Commander.	L. Syd. 12 noon.	L. Melbourne, 7 a.m.	Leave Glenelg.
Rosetta, via Bombay	3502	G. W. Brady	Sept. 19	Sept. 25	Sept. 27
Clyde, via Bombay	4124	E. M. Edmond, R.N.R.	Oct. 5	Oct. 11	Oct. 13
Mirzapore, via Bombay	3887	C. G. Perrins	Oct. 19	Oct. 25	Oct. 27
Thames, via Bombay	4101	W. D. Anderson	Nov. 2	Nov. 8	Nov. 10

and thenceforth every alternate week.

Rates of Passage Money to Plymouth or London:—£70 first and £40 second class.

Brindisi, Venice, Trieste, or Marseilles, £65 first, and £35 second class. No Egyptian transit or Canal dues.

SPECIAL RETURN TICKETS TO EUROPE: Available 9 months—First-class, £105; second-class, £55. Available 12 months—First-class, £115; second-class, £65.

RESERVED ACCOMMODATION can be obtained on most moderate terms.

Passengers, cargo, and parcels are booked through to India, China, and Japan, to which places return passage tickets are granted at very favourable rates, giving passengers the option of breaking their journey en route.

For all information, apply at the Company's Offices, 247, George-street.

J. WEIR, Agent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TO PASSENGERS DESIROUS OF AVOIDING THE HEAT AND DISCOMFORT OF THE RED SEA.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA, under contract with New South Wales and New Zealand Governments, 1883.

The magnificent steamships of this line leave Sydney for San Francisco (calling at Auckland and Honolulu) every fourth THURSDAY, at 5 p.m., as under:—

Steamer.	Tns.	Date of Departure.		
CITY OF SYDNEY	3400	Oct. 4, 1883	Jan. 24, 1884	May 15.
AUSTRALIA	3200	Nov. 1, 1883	Feb. 21, 1884	June 12.
CITY OF NEW YORK	3400	Nov. 29, 1883	Mch. 20, 1884	July 10.
ZEALANDIA	3200	Dec. 27, 1883	Apl. 17, 1884	Aug. 7.

Passengers are booked to any point on the principal Railroad Routes in the United States and Canada, or through to Liverpool, London, or Paris, &c., with special advantages, and may, without extra cost, avail themselves of the Southern Pacific Railroad (with its connections) now open; thus avoiding the winter's cold of the more Northern Route; and for a slight additional charge may go through the Southern States to New Orleans, and thence to New York.

Passengers have choice of the unrivalled Atlantic steamships of Cunard, Inman, White Star, and other lines. And ALL first-class passengers are allowed 250lb. baggage FREE OF CHARGE.

Tickets are good until used, and allow passengers to stop off as long as they choose, to visit all places of interest in America and Canada. Stop-over privileges are also allowed on steamers' tickets for Auckland and Honolulu.

THROUGH FARE TO LONDON, FIRST CLASS ... £66 and upwards.

Time cards, railway maps, and guide books, showing all routes to any point in United States, may be had on application.

Passengers proceeding eastward can connect with the steamers of the Pacific Mail S. S. Co., leaving ports in China and Japan for San Francisco.

Drafts, payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.

For rates of passage and freight, and all other information, apply to

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., General Agents, 1, Bent-street, Sydney.

STEAM TO LONDON. VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

The steamer DELCOMYN, 1817 TONS REGISTER, 100 A1, F. M. P. Haffner, commander, will be despatched AS ABOVE.

For terms of freight, and all particulars, apply to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

Wool received at the Central Wharf Stores.

QUEENSLAND ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

MONTHLY SERVICE under Postal Contract with the Queensland Government.

The steamship ROMA, 2727 tons, will be despatched from MORETON BAY for LONDON, calling at the Northern Queensland Ports, Batavia, and Aden, on TUESDAY, 9th OCTOBER, at 1 p.m.

Subsequent Steamers of this line WILL LEAVE MORETON BAY as follows:—

6th NOVEMBER } At 1 p.m.
4th DECEMBER }

These steamers are of the highest class, and have splendid passenger accommodation, whilst the table and attendance are of the very best description.

SALOON FARE FROM BRISBANE TO LONDON ... 60 GUINEAS
SECOND SALOON ... 40 GUINEAS
NO CANAL DUES.

For particulars apply to GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents, 93, Pitt-street, Sydney.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN S.S. COMPANY, Limited.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The steamship FEILUNG will be despatched on the 20th SEPTEMBER, taking PASSENGERS and LIGHT FREIGHT THROUGH to HONGKONG.

To be FOLLOWED by the favourite steamship TANNADICE, 2163 tons, S. G. GREEN, Commander, for TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, HONGKONG, from the Company's Wharf, Miller's Point, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, at NOON.

CARGO can now be sent to the Company's sheds, and every package must be DISTINCTLY PORT MARKED, otherwise it will not be received.

For freight, passage, or further particulars apply to GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents, 93, Pitt-street.

ORIENT LINE.

The following Steamships, belonging to the ORIENT CO. and the PACIFIC CO., will leave SYDNEY at 1 p.m. on the undermentioned dates, for LONDON, via Melbourne, Adelaide, Diego Garcia (at steamer's option), the Suez Canal, and Naples:—

Ship.	Tns.	Date.	Ship.	Tns.	Date.
GARONNE	3876	Sept. 29	JOHN ELDER	4152	Oct. 27
LUSITANIA	3825	Oct. 13	CHIMBORAZO	3847	Nov. 10

and fortnightly thereafter.

SALOON PASSENGERS allowed to break their journey.

ORIENT PARCELS EXPRESS:—2s 6d per foot, or 6d per lb.

NAPLES TO LONDON BY RAIL.—Special arrangements made with Messrs. Cook and Sons for the issue of through tickets at greatly reduced rates.

PASSAGES FROM LONDON can be granted in Sydney.

MANAGERS IN LONDON:—F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Fenchurch Avenue, E.C.

PASSAGE MONEY, £17 to £70.

Full particulars on application to G. S. YUILL, General Manager in Australia.

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. SYDNEY to MARSEILLES (via Mauritius).

Steamers under Postal Contract with the Government of France.

The service will be carried on by the undermentioned powerful steamers, built expressly for the Australian and New Caledonian line:—

Steamer.	Tns.	Effective h.p.	Steamer.	Tns.	Effective h.p.
NATAL	4000	3000	SYDNEY	4000	3000
CALEDONIEN	4000	3000	SALAZIE	4000	3000
MELBOURNE	4000	3000	YARRA	4000	3000
SAGHALIEN	4000	3000			

The Company's steamers will be despatched as follows:—

Steamer.	Commander.	Leave Sydney, At 12 noon.	Leave Melbourne, At 11 a.m.
SAGHALIEN	Rolland	September 15	September 20
SYDNEY	Pellegrin	October 13	October 18

And thenceforth every 28 days.

Rates of passage money to Marseilles from £23 to £65, including table wine or beer and the Suez Canal dues on passengers.

Special return tickets, available for nine and 12 months, issued at the following reduced rates:—

First class, available 9 months, £105; available 12 months, £115.
Second class, ditto ditto, £84; ditto ditto, £92.
Third class, ditto ditto, £40; ditto ditto, £43.

Passengers' luggage conveyed free of cost from Marseilles to London. For freight, passage, and further particulars, apply at the Company's Office, 13, Macquarie-place.

A. CONIL, Principal Agent.

THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY'S REGULAR MONTHLY DIRECT STEAMERS FOR LONDON.

The following magnificent full-powered Steamers will be despatched as under:—

FROM LYTTELTON:

Steamer.	Tonnage.	Date.
DORIC	4744	September
FENSTANTON	2465	September
BRITISH QUEEN	3558	October
IONIC	4753	November
BRITISH KING	3559	December
TONGARIRO	4000	January.

The above are all magnificent new steel steamers, having most experienced commanders. The passenger accommodation is replete with every modern convenience, and the dietary scale such as will well sustain the Company's reputation.

The homeward route is via the Straits of Magellan (weather permitting), and the time of journey is not expected to exceed 45 days. *** Passengers by this route avoid the intense heat experienced in the Suez Canal and Red Sea, also the risk of infection by cholera and detention in quarantine.

It is intended that the steamers shall call at Rio de Janeiro, universally pronounced the loveliest harbour in the world.

An experienced surgeon will accompany each steamer.

Passage money—Saloon, from 60 guineas; second cabin, 40 guineas; steerage, 18 to 20 guineas.

For further particulars apply to THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY, Christchurch; or to MASON BROTHERS, 14 and 16, Spring-street, Sydney, where plans of cabins can be seen and passages booked at through rates from Sydney, thus affording travellers the additional advantage of visiting New Zealand.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.

STEAM TO HONGKONG, calling at TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, THURSDAY ISLAND, AND PORT DARWIN, booking Chinese Passengers through to SWATOW, AMOY, or SHANGHAI.

The splendid new steel steamship TAIWAN will be despatched on TUESDAY, 9th October.

Superior accommodation for SALOON and SECOND-CLASS passengers in CABINS on DECK.

For rates of freight and further particulars apply to LORIMER, ROME, and CO., 34, O'Connell-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY intend despatching their steamers for the following ports, viz.:—

MELBOURNE	Ly-ee-Moon	Saturday, 1 p.m.
Ditto	City of Adelaide	Tuesday, 5 p.m.
ADELAIDE	Ly-ee-Moon	Will take cargo for transhipment at Melbourne.
NOUMEA	Rockton	Saturday, at noon.
SUVA (FIJI)	Rockton	Saturday, at noon.
LEVUKA (FIJI)	Rockton	Saturday, at noon.
BRISBANE	Glanworth	This day, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	City of Melbourne	Saturday, at noon.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
MARYBOROUGH	Glanworth	This day, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
BUNDABERG	Glanworth	This day, 4 p.m.
GLADSTONE	Steamer early	
ROCKHAMPTON	Glanworth	This day, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Currajong	Friday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth (for passengers only)	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
BROADSOUND	Steamer early	
PORT MACKAY	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
BOWEN	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
TOWNSVILLE	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
CAIRNS	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
PORT DOUGLAS	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
DUNGENESS	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
CARDWELL	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
JOHNSTON RIVER	Victoria	Thursday, 4 p.m.
Ditto	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.
COOKTOWN	Wentworth	Tuesday, 4 p.m.

N.B.—Cargo is daily received for above ports, and parcels at Branch Office, corner of King and York streets, up to one hour before sailing time.

Traffic Manager attends at Branch Office daily, from noon till 2 p.m.

Steerage passengers are provided with bedding and victualled.

FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

Steam to BRISBANE, PORT MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE, DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, JOHNSTON RIVER, CAIRNS, and PORT DOUGLAS.

The A. S. N. Company intend despatching their powerful steamer VICTORIA, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 4 p.m., taking passengers and cargo for the above ports.

Fares and freights at current rates.

FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM to NOUMEA, LEVUKA, FIJI, SUVA, FIJI.

The A. S. N. COMPANY intend despatching their new and powerful steamship ROCKTON, 2500 tons, for the above ports, on SATURDAY, at noon.

Fares and freights at current rates.

FRED. H. TROUTON, Manager.

STEAM TO QUEENSLAND PORTS.

The S.S. COREA, 882 tons, James Lowrie, master, will sail from the Queensland Steam Shipping Company's Wharf (late Tasmanian), on SATURDAY, 22nd September, at noon, carrying passengers and cargo for the undermentioned ports, viz.:—

BRISBANE
KEPPEL BAY, ROCKHAMPTON (passengers only)
MACKAY
BOWEN JETTY
TOWNSVILLE
CAIRNS WHARF
PORT DOUGLAS
COOKTOWN
SOMERSET, and
THURSDAY ISLAND.

Fares and freights at reduced rates.

For further particulars apply to BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, Agents Queensland Steam Shipping Company, Limited, 10, Macquarie-place.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—The undersigned will despatch their steamers from their wharf as under (when practicable):—

NEMESIS	W. F. Deary	SATURDAY, 22nd September, at noon.
WENDOUREE	W. H. Emmerson	FRIDAY, 28th September, at noon.

Freight at lowest rates. Cargo received daily.

FARES: SALOON, THIRTY SHILLINGS; RETURN, THREE POUNDS.

HUDDART, PARKER, and CO., foot of Margaret-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON, PORT MACKAY, AND TOWNSVILLE.

The undersigned will hereafter despatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF and the NEW WHARF, foot of KING-STREET:—

FOR MELBOURNE.

KONOOWARRA	C. Ashford	THIS DAY, Wednesday, noon.
CHEVIOT	W. Donaldson	FRIDAY, Sept. 21, 4 p.m.
LEURA	J. Pain	MONDAY, Sept. 24, 4 p.m.
RODONDO	E. Johnson	WEDNESDAY, Sept. 26, noon.
BUNINYONG	F. H. Stanford	FRIDAY, Sept. 28, 4 p.m.

FOR BRISBANE.

DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	THURSDAY, Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
BARRABOOL	W. Hill	SATURDAY, Sept. 22, 1 p.m.
KEILAWARRA	E. Boult	TUESDAY, Sept. 25, 5 p.m.
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	SATURDAY, Sept. 29, 1 p.m.

FOR MARYBOROUGH.

DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	THURSDAY, Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
BARRABOOL	W. Hill	SATURDAY, Sept. 22, 1 p.m.
KEILAWARRA	E. Boult	TUESDAY, Sept. 25, 5 p.m.
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	SATURDAY, Sept. 29, 1 p.m.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.

DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	THURSDAY, Sept. 20, 5 p.m.
BARRABOOL	W. Hill	SATURDAY, Sept. 22, 1 p.m.
KEILAWARRA	E. Boult	TUESDAY, Sept. 25, 5 p.m.
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	SATURDAY, Sept. 29, 1 p.m.

FOR PORT MACKAY.

MORETON	E. C. Thomas	From Brisbane, about Sept. 25.

FOR TOWNSVILLE.

BARRABOOL	W. Hill	SATURDAY, Sept. 22, 1 p.m.

Cargo received for the above ports every day. Fore-cabin passengers supplied with bedding and victualled free.

The Barrabool will be despatched as above DIRECT FOR TOWNSVILLE next SATURDAY, at 1 p.m.

W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, 42, King-street.

STEAM to TOWNSVILLE DIRECT, via BRISBANE.

The fast S.S. BARRABOOL will leave THE NEW WHARF, KING-STREET, on SATURDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, at 1 p.m., FOR TOWNSVILLE DIRECT, touching at Brisbane.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS is drawn to this FAVOURABLE OPPORTUNITY of shipping goods DIRECT TO TOWNSVILLE, which secures quick transit, and avoids the risks of transhipment.

FOR PASSENGERS the excellent accommodation provided in the Barrabool is well and favourably known. HER CABINS are LARGE and ROOMY, and the SALOON is SITUATED AMIDSHIPS.

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STEAM TO BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, AND ROCKHAMPTON.

The fast and favourite S.S. DERWENT will leave THE NEW WHARF, KING-STREET, on THURSDAY, at 5 p.m., carrying passengers and cargo.

W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, 42, KING-STREET.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, Limited.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION TO ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

FROM SYDNEY.

FOR WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, and PORT CHALMERS, DUNEDIN, transhipping to outports. WAKATIPU, 1796 tons, TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, 19th September, at 4 p.m. Cargo till 2 p.m.

FOR AUCKLAND, GISBORNE, NAPIER, WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, AND PORT CHALMERS, DUNEDIN. MANAPOURI, 1783 tons, THURSDAY, 27th September.

FROM MELBOURNE.

FOR BLUFF, PORT CHALMERS, and all NORTHERN PORTS, TE ANAU, 1653 tons, TUESDAY, 25th September. TARAWERA, 2003 tons, TUESDAY, 2nd October, via Hobart.

FREDK. W. JACKSON.

Offices—Margaret and Sussex streets.

TASMANIAN S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS WILL LEAVE THE QUEENSLAND WHARF, late TASMANIAN WHARF, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street—

For LAUNCESTON, via Eden: S. CORINNA, FRIDAY, 21st September, at 10 a.m.

For HOBART, via Eden: S. TASMAN, MONDAY, 1st October, at 10 a.m.

No cargo received within one hour of sailing.

T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 14, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO PORT ADELAIDE DIRECT.

The fine new s.s. BIRKSGATE, 1448 tons register, 1200 h.p., will leave the Adelaide Wharf, Miller's Point, for Port Adelaide DIRECT, on FRIDAY next, 21st instant, at 4 p.m.

The attention of intending passengers is specially directed to the admirable accommodation afforded by this vessel.

Cargo received at any time.

L. McLAREN, Agent, 247, George-street.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.

From H. R. N. S. N. Company's Wharf, foot of Market-street, Sydney.

THIS NIGHT, Wednesday, at 11, the LADY BOWEN.
THIS NIGHT, Wednesday (taking Morpeth cargo only), the LUBRA.
TO-MORROW NIGHT, Thursday, at 11, the MORPETH.

Clarence Town Goods received every day. Freight payable in Sydney.

Bonded Goods will not be received after 4; other goods not after 5 p.m.

J. W. LEE, Acting Manager.

Offices—147, Sussex-street.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.

FROM LIME-STREET WHARF:
THIS NIGHT, Wednesday, at 11, the KEMBLA.
TO-MORROW NIGHT, Thursday, at 11, the CITY OF BRISBANE.

Clarence Town Cargo received THIS DAY. Freights payable in Sydney.

Bonded Goods not received after 4; other cargo not after 5 p.m.

J. C. BROWN, Acting Manager.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS to

WOLLONGONG.—Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, at 11 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m.; Saturday, noon.
KIAMA.—Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 11 p.m.
SHOALHAVEN.—Tuesday and Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA.—Friday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.
CLYDE RIVER.—Friday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.
BATEMAN'S BAY.—Friday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.
MERIMBULA.—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.; Saturday, noon; cargo, 11.
TATHRA (for BEGA).—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.; Saturday, noon; cargo, 11.
EDEN.—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 8 a.m.; Saturday, noon; cargo, 11.
BERMAGUI.—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; passengers only.

ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS.

On and after 8th September, an extra Steamer will leave Sydney for TATHRA, MERIMBULA, and EDEN every SATURDAY, at noon; returning every TUESDAY from EDEN at 8 a.m.; MERIMBULA, 9.30; TATHRA, 11.

MANNING RIVER.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS.

S.S. ROSEDALE being laid up for the usual half-yearly overhaul, S.S. MURRAY will take her place, leaving Market Wharf, Market-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 2 p.m.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

PORT MACQUARIE, VIA MANNING RIVER.

S.S. MURRAY will leave the Market Wharf, Market-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 2 p.m.

Cargo received within one hour of sailing.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. HELEN NICOLL will leave the Market Wharf, Market-street, SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9, leaving Grafton for Sydney WEDNESDAY MORNING.

S.S. AUSTRALIAN TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9.

Return tickets available by either steamer. Superior accommodation for passengers.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

GOSFORD and BRISBANE WATER.

S.S. PROMISE leaves Patent Slip Wharf every TUESDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY, at 8 a.m. Freight payable in Sydney.

HAWKESBURY River and Windsor Excursion, via Manly, Friday, 2.15 p.m., return Saturday; and via Windsor, Saturday, 5 p.m. train; return Monday, via Newport and Manly. Book Thursday, Maddock's, Geo.-st.; or at King-st. Wf.

GOSFORD, Brisbane Water.—Special Steamer leaves King-street Thursday, 7.30, calling No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, 8 a.m., carrying passengers, horses, carts, and heavy freight at reduced rates. Apply King-street Wharf.

HAWKESBURY River, Peate's Ferry, railway works.—Steamer leaves King-st. Whf. This Day, 7.30. No. 4 Jetty at 8 a.m. Fares, 5s.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

CITY OF GRAFTON, for GRAFTON, TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9.

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, for MACLEAY RIVER, MONDAY NIGHT, at 9.

TOMKI, for RICHMOND RIVER, FRIDAY NIGHT, at 9.

JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

Clarence Wharf, Sussex-street.

RICHMOND RIVER.

The S.S. TOMKI Sails FRIDAY NIGHT, at 9. Unrivalled passenger accommodation.

JOHN WHITE, Secretary, C. and R. R. S. N. Co.

Clarence Wharf, Sussex-street.

MANLY BEACH.

The Steamers will run as follows, weather permitting, and as far as practicable:—

Despatched from—Sydney: 7.15, 9, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 3.30, 4.30, 6, 8, 11.15 p.m.
Woolloomooloo: 10.30, 11.45, 3.30.
Manly: 7.15,* 8.10, 9.45, 10.30, 12, 3.30, 5, 5.30, 7, 9.

* The 7.15 a.m. trip will not be run from Manly on Mondays.

Return fares, 1s 6d. Children, 1s. Dogs: 6d single, 9d return.

For Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays see special time table.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNORS.

The Directors will not guarantee to carry freight unless it is delivered at the wharf at least 15 minutes before the departure of the steamer, and not later than 5.15 p.m.

No freight received on Saturday after 10 a.m.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMERS LEAVE

LIME-STREET, at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15.

LANE COVE at 7, 8, 8.50, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15.

SUNDAYS.—LIME-STREET, 10, 11, 2.30, 3.45, 6.15, 7.15. LANE COVE, 8, 12, 1, 5.15, 6, 7.15.

Extra on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, Lime-street, 11.15 p.m. Lane Cove, 10 p.m. Fare, 1s.

PARRAMATTA AND RIVER STEAMERS THIS DAY.

Times having asterisk (*) affixed go to and from 4 Jetty, Cir. Quay; the others from King-street.

For PARRAMATTA, &c.: 6.30, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 5.5 p.m.
RYDE: 6.30, 9, 10*, 11 a.m.; 1, 2*, 3, 4.15, 5.5, 7 p.m.
GLADESVILLE: 6.30, 9, 10, 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7 p.m.
FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, &c.: 6.30, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15.
VILLA MARIA, Drummoyne-street: 6.30, 9, 10, 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 4.15, 5.5, 7.50, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
HUNTER'S HILL and COCKATOO: 6.30, 9, 10, 10*, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 7.50, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
DRUMMOYNE PARK: 6.30, 10, 10*, 11 a.m.; 2*, 3, 3.45, 6.15.

Returning

From PARRAMATTA: 7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 5 p.m.
RYDE: 7.40, 8.45*, 9.40, 11.40 a.m.; 12.40*, 1.40, 3.40, 4.5, 5.40.
FIVE DOCK: 7.45, 8.30, 11 a.m.; 2.45, 5.5, 7.15 p.m.
BURWOOD: 7.50, 8.35, 11.5 a.m.; 2.50, 5.10, 7.20.
GLADESVILLE: 8, 8.40, 9.5*, 10, 11.15, 12 a.m. 1*, 2, 3, 4, 4.25, 5.15, 6, 7.25.
VILLA MARIA: 6.50, 8, 8.55, 10, 12; 2, 6, 7, 8.40, 10.10.
DRUMMOYNE-STREET: 6.55, 8.5, 9, 9.15*, 10.5 a.m.; 12.5, 2.5, 6.5, 7.5, 8.40, 10.10 p.m.
HUNTER'S HILL: 7.5, 8.15, 9, 9.20*, 10.15, 11.30, 12.15, 1.15*, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 4.50, 5.35, 6.15, 7.5, 7.35, 8.45, 10.15.
DRUMMOYNE PARK: 7.10, 9, 11.30, 1.20*, 3.20, 4.55, 5.40, 6.20.

COCKATOO: Ten minutes after leaving Hunter's Hill. Fares at lowest reduced rates.

A TRIP round the Harbour and Head of Middle Harbour, THIS AFTERNOON and Saturday. S.S. MASCOTTE leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 2.30, not calling at Woolloomooloo. Return, 1s. W. J. HARMER, Manager.

WARDELL, Richmond River.—Monarch sails THIS AFTERNOON. W. SHORT, Baltic Wharf.

FOR MARYBOROUGH.—The schooner FRIENDSHIP sails in a few days. Has room for a few tons of freight and powder. Apply early to E. W. MOLESWORTH, Loftus-street, Circular Quay.

FOR NEWCASTLE.—The Schooner FRIENDSHIP will receive freight and powder at reduced rates. Apply early to E. W. MOLESWORTH, Loftus-street, Circular Quay.

FOR PORT MACKAY, direct.—The Schooner AU REVOIR, Captain Brown, is now loading at Hudson, Parker, and Co.'s Wharf, and sails in a few days. BURNS, PHILP, and CO., 10, Macquarie-place.

FOR AUCKLAND Direct.—The LOOKOUT, now receiving cargo at the Patent Slip Wharf. G. F. MASON.

FOR LONDON.

FIRST SHIP FOR FEBRUARY SALES.

The splendid A1 Clipper SIR WALTER RALEIGH, 1491 Tons Register, W. PURVES, Commander.

This fine vessel is now stowing cargo, and having large tallow and wool engagements will be the first ship despatched for the February Sales.

The vessel will be docked and cleaned before sailing, so a rapid passage may be relied upon.

Unsurpassed accommodation for saloon and second-class passengers.

For freight and passage apply to ALFRED LAMB and CO., Agents.

FOR LONDON.

For Wool and Passengers only.

The well-known A1 Aberdeen clipper ship JOHN DUTHIE, 1031 tons register, Alexander Lavie, commander, requiring only a few bales of wool to complete her loading, will be despatched in a few days.

Has excellent accommodation for saloon passengers.

For terms, &c., apply to DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.

Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

FOR LONDON.

FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.

The favourite clipper barque ANGLO-NORMAN, 755 tons, Alexander Davidson, commander, will be despatched in OCTOBER.

Being of small carrying capacity, and a fast sailer, shippers can rely on this vessel getting despatch and catching the sales.

Has superior accommodation for a few saloon passengers.

For freight or passage apply to M. METCALFE and CO., Agents.

THE ABERDEEN LINE FOR LONDON.

FIRST SHIP FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.

The favourite A1 clipper ship SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, 1456 tons register, A. Simpson, commander, having all her deadweight stowed, and large wool engagements, will sail about the 18th October.

For freight or passage, apply to MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., 4, O'Connell-street.

Wool received at Central Wharf Wool Stores.

FOR LONDON.

LOADING AT THE CIRCULAR QUAY.

The regular trader, WOOLLAHRA, 843 tons register, J. Barneson, commander.

This vessel is favourably known for making quick passages, and will be docked and cleaned before sailing.

For freight or passage apply to the owners, Messrs. COWLISHAW BROTHERS, Pitt-street; or to MASON BROTHERS, Agents.

Wool received at Flood's Blackwall Stores.

JOHAN IRGENS, from SAN FRANCISCO.

CONSIGNEES will please PASS ENTRIES at once for SMITH'S WHARF. Any goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of consignees of same.

Bills of Lading must be presented and freight paid to the undersigned before any goods can be delivered.

Ship will not be responsible for damage or loss of goods after same are landed.

LORIMER, ROME, and CO., Agents, 34, O'Connell-street.

Captain TORKILDSEN, of above vessel, will NOT be responsible for any DEBTS his crew may contract.

SHIP GERS, from CHARENTE, Via MELBOURNE.

CONSIGNEES by this vessel are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for ALGER'S WHARF. The ship will not be responsible for loss of or damage to cargo after it has once left the ship's tackles, and all goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored in Alger's Bond, at expense and risk of consignees.

Bills of Lading must be produced, freights paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any goods can leave the wharf.

HARBOTTLE, ALSOP, and CO., Agents.

Captain ETCHEPARE will NOT be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

STEAMER GULF OF MEXICO, from LONDON.

Now discharging at Dibbs' Wharf.

Consignees by this vessel are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for the above Wharf. The steamer will not be responsible for loss of or damage to cargo after it is landed, and all goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored in Dibbs' Bond, at expense and risk of consignees.

Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and orders for delivery obtained from the undersigned before any cargo can leave the wharf.

YOUNG and LARK, Agents, Moore-street.

Captain ALLAN will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew.

FOR SALE, 24-feet half-decked BOAT. Apply H. Onslow, Department Mines.

FOR SALE, a small Teak-wood Steam LAUNCH, 20 feet length, 5 feet 8 inches beam; to be seen at the Grafton Wharf. Apply to Captain Peter, s.s. Duchess of Edinburgh.

SHIP LAKE ONTARIO, from LIVERPOOL.

Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Smith's Wharf. All goods for which no entries have been passed will be landed and stored under Customs supervision in accordance with the Customs regulations.

The ship will not be responsible for damage to or loss of cargo after same has been duly landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned, before any goods can be allowed to leave the wharf.

CATTELL and CO., Agents.

Captain SPENCE will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

STEAMER YEOMAN, from LONDON.

Discharging at the Grafton Wharf.

CONSIGNEES by this vessel are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for the above wharf. The steamer will not be responsible for loss of or damage to cargo after it is landed, and all goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored in bond at expense and risk of consignees.

Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and orders for delivery obtained from the undersigned before any cargo can leave the wharf.

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

TUG STEAMERS, also PICNIC STEAMERS for HIRE, licensed to carry from 60 to 480 passengers. Apply at Office, No. 5 Jetty, Circular Quay. STEAM LIGHTERS ON HIRE.

WANTED to Charter, VESSELS for Queensland ports; return cargoes. Burns, Philp, and Co., Macquarie-pl.

WANTED, VESSEL to load cedar, Nambucca to Sydney. R. Langley, 92, Sussex-street.

WANTED, a strong sound SKIFF, 16 or 17 feet, flat floor. State price, where to be seen, S. Charles, 5, Lancaster Villas, Woollahra.

WANTED, to CHARTER, one or two Sailing VESSELS, Newcastle to the Clarence River. Despatch assured.

Apply C. and R. R. S. N. Co. JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

STEAMERS James Paterson, Ocean Queen, and Queensland, for SALE. A. S. N. Company, Sydney.

TO SHIPBUILDERS.

The Time for receiving Tenders for Building a River Steamer for the Raymond Terrace S. S. Co. has been extended to September 29. For particulars apply J. GOODSIR, Marine Surveyor, 23, Exchange.

COMMERCIAL WHARF, foot of King-street.—Excellent BERTH vacant, 20 feet water, wharf 220 feet long, with goods shed which will hold nearly 5000 tons. Apply Mr. HOWELL, Wharfinger.

SYDNEY LLOYD'S. Registered 37 Victoria, No. 19.

Marine policies on merchandise issued by this Association. Wool insured against all risks from time of shearing.

W. H. MACKENZIE, Jun., General Managing Underwriter.

Exchange-corner, Sydney.

Personal.

ALLE DEUTSCHEN, die ein gutes susses weisses Roggen Brodt (kein Pumpernickel) lieben, können solches täglich frisch in der Stadt und Vorstädten geliefert bekommen, bei M. Hirsch gegenüber der Kaserne, Paddington.

CHUKE.—Arrived yesterday; 7.30 p.m. Wednesday evening. Smarty.

DEAREST DENNIS.—Expect to leave for Brisbane middle next month. Watch. Myra.

IF THIS should meet the eye of ALICE BENNETT, she will hear of an old friend by sending her address to Waverley Post-office.

IF JOHN RISHTON will communicate with his Brother, JOSEPH GARNER RISHTON, or other relatives in England, he will hear of something to his advantage. John Rishton was last heard from when in Melbourne.

IF JOHN SIMMONS, son of Abraham Simmons and Hannah Simmons, or his children, if any, should he be dead, will send or write forthwith to Messrs. R. J. and T. CHILD, Solicitors, 2, St. Paul's, Bakehouse-court, Doctor's Commons, London, England, they will hear of something to their advantage respecting money to which JOHN SIMMONS or his CHILDREN may be entitled. Information required as to address or place and dates of death of John Simmons.

MARY BEHAN.—Please call for your boxes at Waverley at once; am leaving. R.

MR. NEWTON, late Oamaru, New Zealand.—Send Banks' address. Mrs. Nicholls, Evans-street, Balmain.

MR. FROST, late Christchurch.—Send friend address. Mrs. Nicholls, Evans-street, Balmain.

ROBERT ANDREW STEVENS (Stubbings, Berks).—Apply to Rev. P. Bailey, Hunter's Hill, Sydney.

REQUIRED, the Address of WILLIAM RIDING, formerly of Edward-street West, Deptford, London, or any information respecting the same. Address Gordon, G. Rae, Bega, N. S. W.

WILL Mr. MUNDAY, from London, call again on Mr. Shearer, 505, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WILL WILLIAM CANNON, last heard of in Mudgee district, communicate with his son, John H. Cannon, Fotheringham-street, Marrickville. To his advantage.

WILL Mrs. EHRENSPERGER, Dressmaker, Cook's River District, kindly send address to Mrs. Black, G. P. Office, Sydney.

WILL the young Man who called at Pyrmont-street about Home Letters, kindly call or send to 57, Waterloo-street, Surry Hills? G. Harwood.

Lost and Found.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.—LOST, Gold Lever Watch, July 14, number known. Apply Police-station, Balmain.

LOST, a Sapphire RING. Finder rewarded. 207, Albion-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, Gold Signet RING, Market-street, last night. Reward, 2, May-terrace, White Horse-street, Newtown.

LOST, on Saturday, Manly boat, 4 p.m., Bunch KEYS and THIMBLE; reward. H. Callaghan, 290, George-st.

LOST, on Sunday, between Botany-street, Surry Hills, and Manly steamer, Bunch KEYS. Reward, 80, Botany-st.

LOST, a Skye Terrier SLUT, blue ribbon and string round the neck. Reward, 84, College-street.

LOST, Black-and-tan Bull Terrier SLUT. Apply W. Roche, City Mart, 346, George-street. Reward.

LOST, a white-and-black Bull Slut PUP. Reward, 36, Rose-street, Sheppard's Paddock.

LOST, in or near William-street, 2 Silver BROOCHES. Reward, 6, St. Peter's-street, Woolloomooloo.

LOST, a Boy's SCHOOL-BAG, with books in, near the gaol. Apply 21, Upper William-street East.

LEFT tramway terminus, Sydney, about 2 p.m., PARCEL, containing portraits and painted bracket. Reward, 6, Charlotte-terrace, Castlereagh-street, Redfern.

LOST, on Sunday morning, a Gold LOCKET, with photos., between Regent and Napier streets. Reward at Richardson's, fruiterer, Old South Head-road, Paddington.

LOST, a Fox Terrier DOG, white, with black and tan on one side of head, black spot on rump; reward. R. L. Tooth, Esq., Swifts, Darling Point.

LOST, at Ultimo, on the 17th instant, a Silver-mounted Malaga WALKING-STICK. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the same at No. 76, Quarry-street.

LOST, 17th September, on railway at Petersham or Sydney stations, small black rough-haired TERRIER. Reward. R. E. O'Connor, Jandoon, Fraser's-road, Petersham.

LOST, 14th instant, BRACELET, Malachite set in Silver, in Ocean-street 'bus, or corner of Pitt and Park streets. Liberal reward, 485, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, on Monday night, between Queen and Moncur streets, white Fox Terrier DOG, short tail and tan mark on left ear. Answers to name of Grip. Reward if returned to Alster House, Goodhope-street, Paddington.

LOST or left home, on the 19th, Half-caste GIRL. Anyone knowing her whereabouts, kindly communicate to 297, Crown-street. Anyone harbouring her after this date will be prosecuted.

LOST, a Gold Cable BROOCH, with fringe, between Liberty-street, South Kingston, and Australia-street, North Kingston, via Newtown railway station and bridge. Please return to No. 2, Zeita-terrace, Liberty-street.

LOST, at Redfern Station, Terrier SLUT, white, with brown head; answers to name of Gyp. Reward on return to Captain Strong, Victoria Barracks; or No. 17, Aston-terrace, Collins-street, Surry Hills.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Lost, Fox Terrier PUP, 6 weeks old. 60, Upper Fort-street.

TEN SHILLINGS Reward.—Lost, in Belmore Market, a Gold LOCKET, engraved. 95, Quarry-street, Ultimo.

THE PERSON who took Parcel of BABY LINEN out of Glebe 'bus yesterday, please return to owner, 40, O'Connor-street, off Abercrombie-street.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.—LOST, in either Macquarie or Bridge streets or Randwick tram, a Gold STAR, with Key, attached to a small Nugget. The finder will receive the above reward on restoring the same to E. Nutter, Stephen-court, 97, Elizabeth-street.

WILL CABMAN call who took lady and gentlemen from 215, Macquarie-street South, with luggage, on 8th September, from 11 to 12 a.m.? Call 7, Swan-street. Reward.

FOUND, on Flagstaff, 9th instant, small Gold BROOCH. Apply, with description, to Finder, G. P. O.

IMMIGRANTS

MARRIED COUPLES and SINGLE MEN, per ships GLADSTONE and SMYRNA, DAILY EXPECTED TO ARRIVE, will be for HIRE at the HIRING ROOM, FORT MACQUARIE, on the SECOND or THIRD DAY after arrival.

A further notice will be given on the arrival of the ships.

GEORGE F. WISE, Agent for Immigration.

Immigration Office, Sydney, September 19th, 1883.

GAS STOVE "Victory" versus English Stoves, tile fixed. See To-day's Public Notices, Raleigh, 253, Eliz'th-st.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price, only a M. A. HUGHES and CO.'S 580, George-street.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are energetic and pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

VICTORIA HOUSE, SYDNEY. FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

SILKS.—Notice is directed to our large shipments for this season, comprising the latest novelties from the French and English markets.

Special attention is drawn to a parcel of 180 CHINA SILK EMBROIDERED ROBES, in coloured and plain work, at prices varying from 80s to 84s the Robe. These goods will be found very suitable for this climate, being light, cool, and inexpensive.

CHECK SILKS.—Now so much in demand. We have an unequalled display in Moiré Checks, Chené Checks, Spot Checks, Broché Checks, Surah Checks, Spun Checks, and Quadrille Checks, in all the favourite colourings and sizes, at prices ranging from 2s 3d to 8s 6d per yard. We are showing amongst these some charming washing checks for children's and young ladies' wear.

COLOURED DUCHESSE SATINS in all the choicest tints and colours for the season. Our parcel of these has been negotiated for on most advantageous terms, and we are thereby prepared to offer superb value. Our 5s 6d quality is well worth 7s 6d per yard.

SATIN MERVEILLEUX, in light texture for summer wear. We are showing a very rich cloth in these favourite goods at 6s 6d yard in Prune, Drab, Strawberry, Electric, Sapphire, Cedar, Raspberry, Brown, Grenadine, and Sandal.

DUCHESSE SATIN.—Another parcel to hand of these beautiful and famous Satins, in 100 colourings, at 3s 11d per yard.

SATIN ROYALE.—A new manufacture, rich, soft, and durable. An elegant assortment of ROBE LENGTHS, from 15 guineas, for evening or promenade wear, direct from Lyons. Matchless for style, richness, and design.

BROCADES, BROCATELLES, and CHENES, expressly purchased to match plain silks for trimmings. Some positive novelties, excelling any previous importation.

CHENE SPUN SILKS, specially adapted for the spring and summer wear, in new and choice colours and patterns, at 3s 11d and 4s 11d per yard.

FOULARDS, in spots and checks, from 2s 6d to 4s 11d yard.

BLACK BROCADED SILKS, in Ottoman, Marquise, Neapolitan, and Satins, Floral and Fruit embroidered, 3s 11d, 4s 6d, 5s 6d, 6s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 6d yard.

FARMER and COMPANY'S CELEBRATED BLACK SILK 2s 11d yard. This silk has gained widespread favour for its richness and wear-resisting qualities. We are opening 5 CASES of this particular line. Quality as good as ever.

BLACK SATIN MERVEILLEUX, 4s 11d yard. The present consignment of this particular line we regard as well worthy of special attention.

BLACK SATIN SURAHS, 2s 11d, 3s 11d, 4s 11d, 5s 6d, 6s 6d, 7s 6d.

FARMER and COMPANY.

LADIES' DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT.

We beg to apprise our Lady Patrons that we have made special arrangements for the execution of orders entrusted to us. We have increased our staff of experienced and efficient assistants for both order and work rooms, and confidently guarantee the highest character of work, style, finish, and supervision.

Our study is to send out every costume as a model, to execute orders with precision, and to economise in cost as far possible consistent with the best display of fashion.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

MILLINERY.—We have already disposed of our first consignment in this department for this season, and have now our SECOND shipment to hand. We cannot adequately describe the beauty of the productions now before us, but we would ask a personal inspection. The colourings now favoured are fairly described in such terms as crushed strawberry, shrimp, decayed gooseberry, cherry juice, cream, primrose, coral pink, terra cotta, and old gold. The flowers and other adornments are consistently arranged, the result being both artistic and becoming.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

MANTLES.—To quote a few lines from our invoices, which should be seen early, as the value offered is simply astonishing:—

250 SILK FICHUS, trimmed lace, with new epaulet, 16s 6d only
200 ditto, unquestionably the grandest line in the market, 37s 6d each
150 BROCHE MANTLES, dolman shape, trimmed guipure, 42s. Everybody says worth 5 guineas
550 OTTOMAN CASHMERE Mantles, trimmed lace and jet, 30s each; certain to command immediate sale
750 SPUN SILK SHEPHERD PLAID DUST MANTLES, 25s; specialities, also, in Beige and China silk
FOUR-IN-HAND, and LIGHT CLOTH MANTLES, specially selected for this season, in every variety of texture.
DUST MANTLES, THE NEW BLOUSE SHAPE.—An immense parcel of these now opened.

We solicit inspection particularly here, as we were never better prepared for any previous season, and the quality for the price asked is incredible. Every lady requires a Dust Mantle, and every lady should inspect our unparalleled display.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING 1883.

LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING.—We respectfully solicit inspection from our lady patrons to a parcel of HAND-MADE UNDERCLOTHING, the cheapest we have ever had the pleasure of submitting.

Note the prices for HAND-MADE Garments:—
Chemises, 27s the half-dozen
Drawers, 27s the half-dozen
Night Dresses, 51s the half-dozen.

In machine-made we can offer of course at something lower, viz.:—
Chemises, 10s 6d the half-dozen
Drawers, 12s the half-dozen
Night Dresses, 21s 6d the half-dozen
Knickerbockers, 16s 6d the half-dozen.

GIRLS' UNDERCLOTHING.—A splendid assortment of every class, and at prices unequalled
Every article of BABY LINEN always on hand
LADIES' MORNING GOWNS, in Sateen, 12s 6d, 25s
LADIES' MORNING GOWNS, in Flannel, 21s to 55s
LADIES' TEA GOWNS, in Cashmere, trimmed lace and satin, and embroidered in all the most fashionable colours, including ecru, strawberry, sandal, shrimp, and blues, from 55s
CASHMERE SQUARES, embroidered, from 9s 6d to 56s 6d
GIRLS' GALATEA PETTICOATS, 2s 9d to 4s 6d
LADIES' SATEEN SKIRTS, 2s 11d to 10s 6d
SPRING COSTUMES for Children, in beautiful variety
STAYS, from 4s 6d
THE NEW FIGURE REGULATOR CORSET, in all sizes.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

COSTUMES.—We feel quite at a loss in attempting a description of the magnificent dresses now before us. For style, combination of colouring, trimmings, and entire richness, they will be found to be simply irresistible. Amongst the laces used are choice copies of old Alençon, Valenciennes, Chantilly, Spanish, Mechlin, Brussels Point, &c., guipure embroidery, chenille tuft, chenille grenade, and broché velvet gauze are also favourite trimmings. The idea undoubtedly is that age lends a beauty, as works of art by old masters would fairly convey the character of the antique splendour of both fabrics and trimmings employed in the production of costumes for this spring.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

DRESS MATERIALS.—A large selection of goods already opened in this department in both British and Foreign manufacture, in plain, stripes, and checks. Some leading lines of exceptional value, and at prices which must command a speedy clearance should be seen at once. Beautiful shades for the season in Carmelites at 15d; Camel Hair and Beiges at 21d; Check Carmelites, 14d, 18d, 21d, 2s, and 2s 6d; Spring Cashmeres, 2s 6d and 3s 6d, and the most extraordinary line in Alpacas ever submitted in the Australias. The goods to hand are of rare quality for softness and durability, whilst the price is astonishingly low.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

FANCY DEPARTMENT.

Just opened, a large parcel of splendid Laces, both real and imitation. In real we have some beautiful specimens in Honiton, Valenciennes, Torchon, Alençon, Brussels Point, and Duchesse. These and other makes we have in good imitation, in both Cream and White.

A CHOICE SELECTION OF PARASOLS, in Black Satin, plain and embroidered. Fancy ditto in great variety.

HANDKERCHIEFS in hemstitch, tucked, and embroidered.

Also, a large assortment of NEW RIBBONS.

Sash Ribbons in all the new shades; narrow Ribbons to match. A special line of Sash Ribbon in Brocade, at marvellously low price.

We shall make a special show of these goods in our window, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 17th.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

SATEENS, ZEPHYRS, BATISTES, &c. In these goods we are opening some startling lines for quality, designs, and price. Last Spring our sale was far in excess of our anticipations; this season we are prepared; we said, and our patrons too, a great deal about these favourite textures then, but this season's first parcel eclipses everything, and renders it impossible to say too much. You must see our Sateens at 8½d. Fancy Sateens at 10½d and 11½d, Galateas at 7½d, Prints, 4d and 6½d, and then we shall rest assured your opinion shall agree with ours, that more than value is now offered for ready cash.

FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING, 1883.

MOURNING DEPARTMENT.—We are now showing a splendid assortment of Goods, specially selected for our Spring Trade. We solicit inspection of the following:—

Broché Grenadines, 3s to 7s 6d per yard
Stripes and Checks, in silk and wool, from 2s 3d
Plain Silk Grenadines, 2s 3d to 3s 6d
The Marguerite Satin Grenadine, 4s 6d and 5s 6d
The New Soleil Cloth, satin finish, 2s yard
200 pieces French Cashmeres and Merinoes, specially produced for spring wear, all wool, 2s, 2s 3d, 2s 9d, 3s, 3s 6d, 4s, 4s 6d, 5s
All-wool Cashmere Serge, 1s 9d, 2s
All-wool Homespuns, 19½d, 21d, 2s
French Twills, beautifully soft, 3d to 2s
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Acting Business Manager ... ... S. Genese.
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ANOTHER GREAT and POPULAR SUCCESS.
HOUSES INCREASING NIGHTLY.
TO-NIGHT, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19,
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Mr. POLK Mr. POLK,
assisted by his charming and talented wife,
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BEST COMEDY COMPANY IN THE COLONIES,
A Modern Society Comedy, in four acts, entitled
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"The house crowded from floor to ceiling; the audience howling with excitement to see the Corsair's Bride, Mdlle. Rose Maybloom, Equestrienne Queen and Venus of the Arena."—Arabian Night.
The Press and Public unanimous in pronouncing this production as being the MOST AMUSING and BEST-ACTED COMEDY on the stage to-day. New Scenery, Costumes, and Appointments.
Private Boxes, £3 3s; Dress Circle, 5s; Stalls, 3s;
PIT, ONE SHILLING.
The Furniture from Hamilton's Globe Furniture Warehouse, Park and Castlereagh streets.
Box office now open at Huenerbein's, 411, George-street.
Tickets for sale at Roberts's, adjoining the Theatre.

PROTESTANT HALL.
THURSDAY, September 20th instant.
HERR MAX VOGRICH'S
THIRD
GRAND CONCERT,
assisted by
Miss ALICE REES,
and
HERR JOSEF KRETSCHMANN.

Programme:
1. Sonata appassionata ... Beethoven
2. (a) Impromptu (a flat) ... Schubert
(b) Scherzo ... Weber
(c) Ballade ... Chopin
3. Caprice de Concert ... Henselt
Herr MAX VOGRICH.
4. Aria—"Roberto, o tu che adoro" ... Meyerbeer
Miss ALICE REES.
5. Sonata ... Schumann
Messrs. VOGRICH and KRETSCHMANN.
6. Ballad—"It was a dream" ... Cowen
Miss ALICE REES.
7. (a) Nocturne in F minor ... Chopin
(b) Valse—Caprice ... Rubenstein
Herr MAX VOGRICH.
8. Polonaise from "I Puritani" ... Bellini
Miss ALICE REES.
9. La Campanella (Paganini) ... Liszt
Herr MAX VOGRICH.

Tickets and plan of hall at W. H. Paling's, 356, George-street.
Doors open to subscribers at 7.30, general public at 7.40, concert at 8.10 sharp.
Reserved seats cannot be retained after 8.15.
The Erard Grand Piano used on this occasion is kindly lent by Mr. W. H. Paling.

PROTESTANT HALL.
POPULAR CONCERTS.
The Third of the Series will take place on SATURDAY, September 22.
POPULAR PRICES.
POPULAR ARTISTS.
POPULAR SONGS.
Popular prices—2s and 1s. Family tickets of 6 (transferable), 10s, at Chas. Huenerbein's, 178, Pitt-street.

PROTESTANT HALL.
POPULAR CONCERTS.
The Management have much pleasure in announcing that the THIRD of the SERIES of these Grand and Popular CONCERTS will take place on SATURDAY EVENING, September 22, when the following talented artists will appear:—Mesdames Keane, Cowley, Dora Brown, Messrs. R. Merton, W. Rodd, Beaumont Read, F. J. Hallewell, and Charles Huenerbein.
Popular prices—2s and 1s.

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Lessee, Mr. Fred. Millis. Manager, Mr. Leopold Jordan.
Last THREE Nights of
MILLIS, the VENTRILOQUIST and CHARACTER ACTOR.
MILLIS. MILLIS. MILLIS. MILLIS.
TWO HUNDRED GIFTS TO-NIGHT.
AMAZEMENT! WONDERMENT! ASTONISHMENT!
Every Lady and Gentleman will receive a costly and Elegant GIFT TO-NIGHT.
EVERY ONE A GIFT TO-NIGHT.
Seats—3s, 2s, and 1s. Doors open 7.30, commence at 8.
Pianist, Mr. W. Adams. Agent, Mr. Nat. Jacobs.

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY.
MOORE PARK.
PUBLIC NOTICE.
The Society's GROUNDS, Moore Park, will be OPENED to the public DAILY, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Owing to the heavy outlay incurred by the Society, an ENTRANCE FEE of
6d for Adults and
3d for Children
will be charged at the gates.
ENTRANCE by Moore Park gate only.
WALTER BRADLEY, Hon. Sec.
P.S.—MEMBERS, on production of ticket, will be admitted FREE.

ART SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Fourth ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be OPENED at the Town Hall on 1st October.
The ART UNION will be drawn on 29th instant.
EDWARD COMBES, President.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BURWOOD.
A BAZAAR and SALE of USEFUL and FANCY ARTICLES in aid of liquidating the DEBT on the above Church will be opened at the
SCHOOL OF ARTS, BURWOOD,
by W. H. Pigott, Esq., M.L.A., on
THIS DAY, the 19th SEPTEMBER, 1883,
at 3 o'clock p.m.,
and continued on THURSDAY and FRIDAY following.
Admission, 1s; children, 6d.
M. M. YOUNG, Hon. Sec.

EASTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY will hold their ANNUAL SPRING and NATIVE FLOWER SHOW in St. MATTHIAS' SCHOOLROOM, Old South Head-road, Paddington, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 20th and 21st instant. Open from 3 till 10 p.m. Admission 1s.
W. M. BROWN, Hon. Treas.

GARDEN PARTY
to
W. COLLINS, Esq.,
to take place
on THURSDAY, September, 20, 1883,
at
SIR JOSEPH BANKS PAVILION, BOTANY.
Tram leaves King-street at 2 p.m. sharp.
J. G. CARTER, J. TOOMEY, Hon. Secs.
G. F. POOLE, Hon. Treas.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL ANNUAL BALL.
EVENING DRESS (ONLY).
EXHIBITION BUILDING.
TUESDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 1883.
Under the distinguished patronage and in the presence of His Excellency the Right Hon. Lord AUGUSTUS LOFTUS, G.C.B.,
Lady AUGUSTUS LOFTUS and SUITE, &c.
Commodore Erskine and the Officers of H.M.S. Nelson.
Captain Watson and the Officers of H.M.S. Miranda.
His Worship the Mayor, John Harris, Esq., J.P., and Mayoress.
The Annual Ball in aid of the above charity will take place in the Exhibition Building, Prince Alfred Park, on TUESDAY EVENING, September 25, 1883.
TICKETS—Gentleman's, 21s; Lady's, 10s 6d.
Tickets can be purchased from any of the undermentioned:—GEORGE-STREET: Barlow and Co., E. F. Flanagan, George Hurley, P. R. Larkin, E. M'Evoy, Nicholson and Ascherberg, Frank Smith, Elvy and Co., W. H. Paling, R. Butcher and Co., M'Grath's Hotel, A. Huenerbein, Long and Roarty, J. J. Moore, Royal Hotel, City Catering Co., Peapes and Shaw, Thompson and Giles. KING-STREET: Cantor, International Hotel, Oxford Hotel, Metropolitan Hotel, E. J. Hollingdale, F. Riley. OXFORD-STREET: Mulroney, Mooney, Moars. HUNTER-STREET: Ellercamp, L. Moss, and Co., Thornthwaite, W. H. M'Carthy. M. Lacey, Bourke-street; Harrison, Castlereagh-street; Gaffney, Market-street. WILLIAM-STREET: W. Hughes, F. M'Donald. J. G. O'Connor, Jamieson-street; Farrell, Henfrey, and Co., Castlereagh-street; Hyde Park Hotel, Elizabeth and Bathurst streets; Pfahlert's Hotel, Petty's Hotel; Aarons' Exchange Hotel; J. Hagarty, Paddington; Imperial Hotel; E. Fennelly, Bourke-street.
A. J. BRADY, W. H. M'CARTHY, Hon. Secs.

DANCING ACADEMY, NITHSDALE, 167, Liverpool-street, Hyde Park South.
There will be NO SOIREE DANSANTE THIS EVENING. Subscribers can attend on THURSDAY EVENING.
F. H. NEEDS and SONS.

DANCING.—Mr. W. KING'S class Monday and Thursday Evenings, Oddfellows Hall, Elizabeth-street. Class for beginners Tuesday and Friday evenings. Ladies and gentlemen may receive private Lessons daily in all kinds of dancing; private lessons in Courante, Boston glide, new spring and other Waltzes. 96, Liverpool-street.

DANCING.—Mr. W. King's class for ladies and juveniles, Tuesday and Friday afternoons. 96, Liverpool-street.

DANCING, RANDWICK.—Prof. WEST'S private evening party, Town Hall, WEDNESDAY, 7.30 sharp. Present and former pupils from ladies' schools and evening classes cordially invited.

NORTH SHORE.—Prof. WEST'S children's evening private party, School of Arts, WEDNESDAY, September 26. Former and present pupils from the two ladies' schools invited; also parents.

BURWOOD, Ashfield, Redmyre.—Prof. WEST will give a children's evening party, at School of Arts, Burwood, on SATURDAY, September 29. Former and present pupils from schools and evening classes invited.

DANCING.—Prof. WEST'S Morning, Afternoon, and Evening Private CLASSES, in new waltz, French cotillions, minuet, also old dances, at Tattersall's Hall. Intending pupils apply 5, O'Connell-street.

DANCING.—Mr. A. READ'S Class, THIS EVENING, at 8 p.m. 64, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

DANCING.—Mr. A. READ'S CLASS for Ladies and Gentlemen, THIS EVENING, 64, Royal Arcade.

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TO-NIGHT and TO-MORROW NIGHT,
BANDMANN—BEAUDET
in their grand impersonations of
SHYLOCK PORTIA
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in the
MERCHANT OF VENICE,
for the first time in Sydney, in 5 acts.
FRIDAY, FOR THAT NIGHT ONLY,
EAST LYNNE.
SATURDAY, September 22,
GRAND PRODUCTION
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BLOW FOR BLOW,
In which Australia's famous Comedian,
JOHN L. HALL,
and the favourite Actress,
Miss JESSIE GREY,
together with the
BANDMANN—BEAUDET
COMBINATION
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Lessee and Manager ... ... Mr. F. E. Hiscocks.
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A Success absolutely without Parallel or Precedent!
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EVERY EVENING, at 8.
THIRD WEEK. THIRD WEEK. THIRD WEEK.
CROWDED HOUSES. CROWDED HOUSES.
Decided Hit of the New Programme.
Immense Success of the New First Part.
Great Success of Harry W. Emmett's Drama,
"THE WOMAN OF THE PEEP-HOLE."
Grand Reception of Lawton and Kennedy's Act,
THE MISCHIEVOUS OFFSPRING.
And Continued Success of Charles Heywood's Great Musical Comedy, entitled
THE SORCERESS; or, THE BIRD CHARMER,
witnessed nightly by the most Fashionable Audiences in Sydney.
Every Artist Encored.
Admission—Fauteuils, 4s; Stalls, 3s; Pit, 2s; Gallery, 1s. Doors open at 7, overture at 8; carriages at 10.30. To avoid the crush, seats should be secured in advance. A large and efficient staff of ushers; a lady's cloakroom, with attendant. Box Plan at Paling's Music Warehouse, George-street.
C. A. MADDICK, Secretary.
AN ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME SATURDAY NIGHT NEXT.

NEW SOUTH WALES ROWING ASSOCIATION.
ANNUAL REGATTA, 6th OCTOBER, 1883.
PROGRAMME.
1. Maiden 4-oared Race, in string-test gigs
2. Junior 4-oared Race, in outrigged clinkers
3. The Sydney Mail Challenge Prize for Senior Scullers
4. Mercantile 4-oared Race
5. Challenge Race for Public Schools.
6. Senior 4-oared Race, in outrigged clinkers
ENTRIES, accompanied by weights and colours, must be sent in to the Secretary on or before 30th September, 1883.

DOUBLE BAY AMATEUR REGATTA
27TH OCTOBER,
1883.
Patron:
JAMES WATSON, Esq.
President:
The Hon. JOHN MARKS, M.L.C.
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Sir Patrick Jennings, K.C.M.G.
The Hon. John Macintosh, M.L.C.
The Hon. W. J. Trickett, Postmaster-General
The Hon. J. B. Watt, M.L.C.
The Hon. John Frazer, M.L.C.
The Hon. F. M. Darley, Q.C., M.L.C.
The Hon. P. Gidley King, M.L.C.
Commodore Erskine, H.M.S. Nelson
Commander Taylor, R.N., the Wolverene
Robert Butcher, Esq., M.P.
Bruce Smith, Esq., M.P.
Captain Charles.
W. Laidley, Esq.
W. G. Murray, Esq.

CORRECTED PROGRAMME.

FIRST RACE.
All Yachts, exceeding 9 tons, handicapped, amateur crews and men in charge. Course: From Flagship round boat at Manly, round Flagship, round lightship and Sow and Pigs, and back to Flagship; flying start.

SECOND RACE.
All Yachts, not exceeding 9 tons, handicapped, amateur crews. Course: Same as No. 1; flying start.

THIRD RACE.
Residents of Double, Rushcutter, and Rose Bays, and Woollahra, who have never won an advertised prize; double sculls, in light skiffs. Course: From Double Bay Pier round Clark Island, and back to Flagship.

FOURTH RACE.
All Canvas Sailing Boats, not exceeding 15 feet; time allowance, one minute per foot; amateur crews. Course: From moorings in Double Bay, round Shark Island, round Flagship, round Clark Island, and back to Flagship.

FIFTH RACE.
Junior Double Sculls, in skiffs; open to members of rowing clubs. Course: From Double Bay Pier round Clark Island, and back to Flagship.

SIXTH RACE.
All Half-decked Boats. Amateur crews, not limited; handicapped; own cruising sails. Course: From Flagship, round boat off Manly, round Flagship, round Shark Island, back to Flagship.

SEVENTH RACE.
All Comers, pulling a pair of sculls, in light skiffs; handicapped. Course: from Flagship, round Shark Island, and back to Flagship.

EIGHTH RACE.
Open Boats, 20 feet and upwards; handicapped; any sails; crew limited to four. First prize, trophy; second prize, trophy. Course: From Flagship round Lightship and Sow and Pigs, round Flagship, round Pinchgut, and back to Flagship.

NINTH RACE.
All Boys from Wolverene and Vernon, pulling oars in cutters. Course: From Flagship round Clark Island, and back to Flagship.

TENTH RACE.
All Men-of-War Gigs. Course: Round Shark Island, and back to Flagship.

ELEVENTH RACE.
Maiden Fours in String-test Gigs, for members of Rowing Clubs. Course: From Flagship round Shark Island, and back to Flagship.

TWELFTH RACE.
Dingies Under Canvas, not exceeding 16 feet in length, 5 feet beam, and 20 inches depth. Amateur crews. Course: From moorings in Double Bay, round Shark Island, round Fort Denison, round Flagship, round Clark Island, and back to Flagship.

THIRTEENTH RACE.
For Amateur Residents of Paddington and Woollahra; maiden pair oars. Course: Same as No. 7.

FOURTEENTH RACE.
Senior Members of Rowing Clubs, in club skiffs; double sculls with coxswain. Course: Same as No. 7.

FIFTEENTH RACE.
Gig and Dingy Chase.
W. S. WILLIAMS, CHARLES SHAW, Hon. Secs.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF AUSTRALIA.
QUOITS. QUOITS. QUOITS.
A Match for the Championship of Australia and £50, £50, £50 a-side, will take place on TUESDAY, 25th,
between
A. SMITH and W. GROGAN,
At A. M'Donald's Australian Eleven Hotel Grounds, Elizabeth-street, Redfern.
Play to start at 2.30.

NIMROD FISHING CLUB PICNIC.
The steamer PORT JACKSON will leave the Circular Quay at 10 a.m. and 12 noon, THIS DAY, for Clontarf. Tickets obtainable on the wharf.
A large number of races will take place, for which valuable prizes will be given.
G. R. EASTWAY, Jun., Hon. Secretary.

UNDERTAKERS' ANNUAL PICNIC, at Botany, on WEDNESDAY, October 3rd. Young Australian Band. Gentlemen's tickets, 15s; ladies', 10s 6d; children's, 5s. 'Buses will leave Town-hall at 9.30 a.m.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION COMMITTEE will provide the best and cheapest day's recreation ever offered to the public of Sydney on MONDAY, 1st October, at Parramatta Park. W. FERRIER, Secretary.

AVENUE.—Eight hour Day. Bailey's string Band. Steamers from Lime-street. Tickets, 2s each.

SCHNAPPER FISHING.—S. YOUNG MAT, from Botany Wharf, THURSDAY, 9.30; 5s.

TIVOLI GARDENS, Waverley.—To LET, for Picnics. Piano, Pavilion Swings, Merry-go-round, Lawn Tennis, Quoits, Horizontal Bar, and Football; views unequalled; Nelson's Bay. Pavilion to Let for Q. Parties. Apply at Tivoli.

THE DRAWING for Concertina in St. Mary's Hall is unavoidably POSTPONED.

RICHMOND CRICKET CLUB now open for ENGAGEMENT. Splendid wicket. A. Johnson, secretary.

PARRAMATTA HAWTHORNE C. C. (Junior) Disengaged ensuing season. J. H. Stephenson, sec., 99, Pitt-st.

LOCHINVAR C. C. disengaged for season; early dates preferred. H. Hayden, Hockings and Co., 143, Pitt-street.

N. S. BELMORE C. C. DISENGAGED, SATURDAY Next. A. W. Stephenson, 84, Pitt-street.

TO TRAVELLERS, MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.
We have for HIRE Carriages, Victorias, Buggies, Horses, and steady drivers, by hour, day, week, month, or year; Horses at Livery, charges moderate; quiet Horses on hand for Sale, and Stock sold on commission. Always ask for tariff.
HAWKES and COMPANY, Tattersall's-buildings, Hunter and Castlereagh streets.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price, only at M. A. HUGHES and CO.'S, 580, George-street.

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Managers, WILLIAMSON, GARNER, and MUSGROVE.
Lessee, Mr. Samuel Lazar. Treasurer, G. L. Goodman.
General Business Manager, Mr. H. R. Harwood.
Doors open at 7.15, commence at 7.45. Carriages at 11.
SECOND WEEK
of
TAKEN FROM LIFE.
PERFECT AND PRONOUNCED SUCCESS.
SEE FLATTERING ENCOMIUMS
in every morning, evening, and weekly paper.
Nearly 20,000 persons have visited the Theatre to see
TAKEN FROM LIFE.
"Life is not an idle ore;
But iron dug from central gloom,
And heated hot with burning fears,
And dipp'd in baths of hissing tears,
And batter'd with the shocks of doom,
To shape and use."—Tennyson.
TO-NIGHT, and UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE,
at a quarter to 8,
BLAND HOLT'S TRULY GIGANTIC
DRAMATIC COMBINATION
in the Poetic and Sensational London Drama, written by Henry Pettitt, Esq., entitled
TAKEN FROM LIFE
TAKEN FROM LIFE
TAKEN FROM LIFE.
ALFRED DAMPIER as the Artist, Walter Lee.
The GREAT CAST OF CHARACTERS includes Mesdames Annie Mayor, Marston Leigh, Annie Taylor, and Rose Dampier, Messrs. Alfred Dampier, James Carden, Herbert Flemming, B. N. Jones, Charles Brown, S. St. Lawrence, Harry Jordan, J. Cæsar, E. Ryan, E. C. Calvert, T. A. Howard, M. Bates, and Bland Holt.
ACT 1.—COUNTRY LIFE. ACT 3.—PRISON LIFE—
ACT 2.—LONDON LIFE. THE EXPLOSION.
ACT 4.—RACING LIFE.
ACT 5.—FASHIONABLE LIFE.
The scenery painted by Gordon and Grist.
The MECHANISM by Mr. W. RENNO.
The furniture supplied by W. HAMILTON and CO., "GLOBE" Furniture Warehouse, Park and Castlereagh streets.
Prices as usual. Box office open from 11 till 4. Tickets for all parts of the house at Eastway's Hotel. NO FREE LIST.
Business Manager for Bland Holt, W. H. SEGRAVE.

Meetings.

ARCHBISHOP VAUGHAN MEMORIAL.
A PUBLIC MEETING
of the
Friends of the late
ARCHBISHOP OF SYDNEY
will be held
in
ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL,
on
THURSDAY NEXT, the 20th instant,
at 7.30 p.m.,
for the purpose of raising a fund towards the PROPOSED MEMORIAL.
DANIEL O'CONNOR, FRANK B. FREEHILL, Hon. Secs.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.—EVENING LECTURES.—A Public MEETING to agitate for the establishment of evening lectures in connection with the University will be held in the College Hall of the School of Arts, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY EVENING next, 25th instant. The Hon. G. H. REID, Minister for Public Instruction, will preside, and several leading citizens will address the meeting. H. PARKINSON, Sec. to Provisional Committee.

TESTIMONIAL to JACOB GARRARD, Esq., M.P., Balmain.—A full MEETING of the Committee will be held THIS DAY, 19th instant, in the Town Hall, Balmain, at 7.30. Business of importance.
JOHN STEDMAN, Hon. Secretary.
WILLIAM PARKER, Hon. Treasurer.

GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY of AUSTRALASIA.
The Monthly MEETING of the above society will be held on THURSDAY NEXT, the 20th instant, at 8.15 p.m., in the lower room of the Public Library.
A paper will be read by Mr. Alex. Morton.
Notes on the inhabitants of the islands of Torres Straits and the South-east coast of New Guinea.
E. MARIN LA MESLEE, Hon. Sec.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, SYDNEY.
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.
The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of this Society will be held at the Offices, on TUESDAY, 16th October, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive Report and Balance-sheet.
To elect Five Members for the Council; the present members retiring by effluxion of term of office, in accordance with Rule 13.
R. W. GRIERSON, Secretary.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, SYDNEY.
NOTICE.
NOMINATIONS (by letter) for Members of the Council will be received up to the 23th instant (inclusive), addressed to
R. W. GRIERSON, Secretary,
247, George-street.

ALBERT CRICKET CLUB.—The Annual MEETING will be held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel, THURSDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
VICTOR COHEN, Hon. Sec.

MANLY RIFLE VOLUNTEER CORPS.
A General MEETING will be held in Church of England Schoolroom, 19th September, 8 p.m. Business: To consider Amended Volunteer Regulations.
J. DAY, Hon. Secretary.

MASONIC.—Sydney Tarbolton, 377, S.C., at 7.30. Initiations, visitors fraternally invited. S. Bailey, R.W.M.

GLEBE MASONIC LODGE, No. 1944, E. C.—Regular Monthly MEETING, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, 7.30 sharp, Town Hall, Glebe.
PERCY C. LUCAS, W.M.

NO. 17, VOLUNTEER L. O. L.—Regular Monthly MEETING this night, Protestant Hall, 7.45 p.m. sharp. Visitors cordially invited.
J. COOK, Secretary.

PITT-STREET LITERARY SOCIETY.—Debate, TO-NIGHT, 7.45, "The Policy of John Bright."

THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Limited.
The 24th Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Society's Office, 184, Pitt-street, on the 20th instant, at 8 p.m.
Business:—
To receive directors' report for the half-year ending 31st July, 1883.
To elect three directors in the room of Messrs. A. C. Fraser, C. A. Goodchap, and Wm. Henderson, who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
To elect two auditors in the place of Messrs. C. S. Gregory and C. W. Bloomfield, who are also eligible for re-election.
To elect five arbitrators, and
To transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Society's rules.
By order of the Board.
W. E. OUTRED, Secretary and Accountant.
N.B.—Nominations and consent to act have been received on behalf of Messrs. A. C. Fraser, C. A. Goodchap, and Wm. Henderson, as directors; and on behalf of Messrs. C. S. Gregory and C. W. Bloomfield, as auditors.
N.B.—Shareholders are respectfully informed that Copies of Balance-sheet for the half-year ending July 31st, 1883, may be had at the Society's Office, 181, Pitt-street, after 2 p.m. THIS DAY.

NO. 4 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.
A BALLOT for the right to an ADVANCE of £200 THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock. THOS. MILLER, Secretary.

NORTH BULLI COAL AND IRON MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING of the Company will be held at 3 p.m. on FRIDAY, October 5, at the Company's Office, 181, Pitt-street, Sydney, to authorise the Directors to lease the Company's property on such terms, and subject to such conditions, as the said meeting may determine.
By order of the Board.
GEORGE HARDIE, Manager.

VICTORY GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, CHARTERS TOWERS, QUEENSLAND.
The Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders in the abovenamed Company will be held in the Company's Office, Exchange, Sydney, FRIDAY, 28th September, at 11 a.m.
Business:—To receive balance-sheet, reports, and transact any other business that may arise.
C. J. BUCKLAND, Secretary.
Sydney, 18th September, 1883.

Lectures.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' TECHNICAL COLLEGE.
The following LECTURES will be delivered during the present week, free to the public:—
Wednesday.—The Classification of the Animal Kingdom: D. Ritchie, Esq.
Thursday.—An Exploring Trip through North-western Australia: J. Pentecost, Esq.
Friday.—Elocution (Inflection): J. Connery, Esq.
Saturday.—Lantern lecture.
JOHN HENDERSON, Secretary.

BY REQUEST.
THE CREATION.—The Rev. G. SUTHERLAND will re-deliver his LECTURE on this subject, on WEDNESDAY, 26th September, at 7.30 p.m., in St. George's Church, Castlereagh-street. Admission free. All invited.

LECTURE.
Rev. G. O. NEWPORT,
20 years Missionary in India, in connection with the London Missionary Society, will
LECTURE
on
"MISSION WORK IN INDIA,"
in Pitt-street Congregational Church Lecture Hall,
on
THURSDAY EVENING, 20th.
Chair to be taken at 7.30.
Collection at close.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—A LECTURE by Rev. G. O. NEWPORT, of Madras, on Mission Work in India, on THURSDAY EVENING, September 20th, at 7.30. J. Mullens, Esq., will preside. Collection at the close of the lecture.

BALMAIN.—CAMPBELL-STREET CHURCH.—The Rev. J. P. DICKSON will Lecture THIS (Wednesday) EVENING on "Manhood; its Source and Development."

ANTI-FREETHOUGHT.—In consequence of Mrs. Hampson's services, Mr. PICTON has POSTPONED his reply to Mr. Bright's lecture on the Resurrection of Jesus to FRIDAY WEEK, 28th instant.

Volunteer Notices.

ENGINEER CORPS.
The CORPS will PARADE on WEDNESDAY, the 19th instant, at the Victoria Barracks, at 8 p.m., in Drill Order, with Side Arms and Forage Caps, for Lecture.
(Signed) THOMAS ROWE, Major, Commanding Engineer Corps.

Government Notices.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 14th September, 1883.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
GOULBURN RACES, 26th and 28th September, 1883.
EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued to GOULBURN, at all Stations on the Southern and South-Western lines, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 25th and 26th instant; and on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, by trains arriving in Goulburn not later than 12 noon, available for return till MONDAY, 1st October.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 18th September, 1883.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.
TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every post-office in the colony.
Tenderers may be in attendance when the tenders are opened, and the name of the successful tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.
No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.
The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this Office.
Additions, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Wentworth	25th September, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge over Hall's Creek, road Narrabri to Moree	
Bridge over Tycannah Creek, road Narrabri to Moree	
Bridge over Albion Creek, road Tinonee to Redbank	
Contract 1 to 4u, road Bowna to Welaregang	
Construction of Line of Railway from Cootamundra to Gundagai	2nd October, at 11 o'clock.
Advertising in Tramcars	
For Posting Advertisements and right to Bookstalls at Railway Stations	
Bridge at Old Mill-road, Liverpool to Campbelltown	
Construction of Horse Boat for Laurieton, Camden Haven River	
Contract 7u, road Tumberumba to Welaregang	
Repairs to Watchhouse, Erskine and Clarence streets, Sydney	
Alterations and Additions to Public Wharf, Moruya	
Wharf, &c., Garden Island	9th October, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge over Sandy Creek-road, Armidale to Inverell	
Erection of Goods Shed, Ballina, Richmond River	
Erection of Wharf at Seven Oaks, Macleay River	
Supply of Small Stores, Railway Department, 1884	
Cast Iron Cylinders for Bridges on the Railway Extension Homebush to Waratah	16th October, at 11 o'clock.
Erection of New Courthouse, Deniliquin	
Erection of Police Buildings, Tenterfield	
Erection of Bathurst Gaol	
Bridge over Burrowa River at Coffey's Crossing	
Extension of Breakwater, Moruya.	23rd October, at 11 o'clock.
Construction of Works, 3rd Section Illawarra Railway	30th October, at 11 o'clock.
Renting Refreshment-room, Penrith Railway Station.	

F. A. WRIGHT.

Public Works Department, Roads Branch.

TENDERS are invited for Forming, Metalling, and Blinding on Road to Seven Hills Railway Station; also for Mt. Metal on Road Campbelltown to Narellan.
Specifications at Roads Office, Parramatta.
Tenders to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions, Parramatta, by noon on 21st instant.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 17th September, 1883.

TENDERS FOR BUILDING A STEAM LAUNCH.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon of THURSDAY, the 27th September, from persons willing to build a Steam Launch for the Water Police Department.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of the Marine Board.
Each tender must be accompanied by a Treasury receipt, acknowledging the deposit of £100, to be held at the Treasury, as security for the due performance of the Contract.
Part payment will be made as the work advances.
The whole to be completed to the satisfaction of the Marine Board.
The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any Tender.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Steam Launch."
GEORGE R. DIBBS.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 18th September, 1883.

TO ENGINEERS, CONTRACTORS, BUILDERS, and OTHERS.
STEAM LAUNDRY at QUARANTINE STATION, SPRING COVE.
TENDERS will be received at the TREASURY until noon of TUESDAY, the second day of OCTOBER, for the Erection and Completion of a Steam Laundry at the Quarantine Station, in accordance with plans and specifications, and under general conditions, to be seen at this office.
The site of the proposed work will be pointed out by the superintending officer at the Quarantine Station.
The tenderer must state the term within which he will undertake to complete the contract, and each tender must be accompanied by a Treasury receipt for £200, to be held as security for the due performance of contract.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders must be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and delivered at the Treasury, Macquarie-street, and should be endorsed "Tender for Steam Laundry, Quarantine Station."
GEORGE R. DIBBS.

Department of Lands, Sydney, September 15, 1883.

LAND SALE.
Attention is called to a Sale of Crown Lands, to be held at KATOOMBA, on the 20th October, 1883, comprising Lands, county Cook, parish Blackheath.
TOWN and SUBURBAN LOTS.
At the village of Katoomba, on the Great Western Railway line, about 66 miles from Sydney, fronting Fitzgerald, Camp, Waratah, Bent, Mort, Albion and Whitton streets; and at the Village of Katoomba, in the Eastern suburbs, fronting Twynam, North, and Barton streets; and at the village of Katoomba, in the Western suburbs, fronting North, Belmore, Fitzgerald, and West streets.
NOTE.—LITHOGRAPHS and full particulars may be obtained at the Lands Office, Sydney, Penrith, and Lithgow.
A SPECIAL TRAIN WILL LEAVE SYDNEY in time for the sale.
For further particulars see Gazette of 10th September, 1883, No. 383, at Police Office or local Land Office.
J. S. FARNELL.

Surveyor-General's Office, Sydney, June 22, 1883.

CADET EXAMINATION, SURVEY OFFICE.
It is hereby notified, that an EXAMINATION of CANDIDATES for employment as CADETS in the Department of the Surveyor-General will be held early in NOVEMBER next. The exact date, when fixed, will be duly notified. Candidates must have attained the age of 16 years, or they will not be eligible for examination.
Intending competitors can obtain further information upon applying by letter to the Surveyor-General, or personally to the secretary and cashier.
(Signed) P. F. ADAMS, Surveyor-General.

DRAFTS ON THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT.
TENDERS will be received at this Office for the Purchase of Drafts at three days' sight, till noon on FRIDAY, 21st instant. Tenders to be marked "Tenders for Drafts." £4000.
E. A. AMPHLETT, Paymaster in Charge.
H.M. Naval Depot, Sydney, 19th September, 1883.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.
Works and Railways Department, Perth, 25th July, 1883.
Plans and specification of the third section of the Eastern Line of Railways, Western Australia, can now be seen at the offices of the Hon. the Commissioner of Railways, Melbourne, and the Hon. the Commissioner for Public Works, Adelaide.
JAS. W. J. THOMAS, Commissioner of Railways.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN RAILWAYS.
EASTERN LINE.—3rd SECTION.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Perth, 20th June, 1883.
TENDERS will be receive at this office up to noon of WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of September next, for the Construction of the Third Section of the Eastern Railway to York, a distance of forty-eight and a-half miles, or thereabouts.
Plans and specifications can be seen at this office on and after the 4th day of July; and at Melbourne and Adelaide at a place and on a day which will be duly announced.
Printed specifications obtainable at three guineas each.
Each tender must be accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for £1000 in favour of the Commissioner for Railways.
The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
JAS. W. J. THOMAS, Commissioner of Railways.

Machinery.

MARSHALL, SONS, and CO.'S celebrated First Prize Portable Steam Engines, from 4 to 20-horse power; Threshing-machines, and Circular Saw Benches.
GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents.

A. AND T. PRINGLE and CO., 42, Market-street, have for Sale 6 h.p. Portable ENGINE, Saw, Bench, &c.

HORSE GEAR and Chaff Cutter for SALE; also, Portable Forge. 42, Market-street.

BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES.
I am now taking orders for next season for any and every description of RACING TRICYCLES; also the famous CHALLENGE RACER by Singer and Co., the ANDREWS, SANSPAREIL Racing Bicycle, and other well-known makers. Terms reasonable.
JOHN DANKS, Importer of Bicycles, 363, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, a BICYCLE, 60 inch., partly nickled, cheap. Danks, 363, Pitt-street.

BOOTTRADE.—A "Blake" Sole Sewing MACHINE for SALE. Apply 852, Castlereagh-street.

FOR SALE, ENGINE and Boiler, 2 horse-power. G. Beard, soda water factory, 429, Sussex-street, Haymarket.

FOR SALE, large Wilson's (Vauxhall) Donkey PUMP, cheap. Apply J. Skinner and Co., 18, King-street.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are energetic and pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will and Codicil of ELIZA LENDON, late of Camden-street, Newtown, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.
PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims upon or being otherwise interested in the estate and effects of the abovenamed deceased, are requested to send in full particulars of such claims to the undersigned, under cover to the Executor, on or before the twenty-eighth day of September next, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 21st day of August, A.D. 1883.
JOHN DAWSON and SON, Proctors for the Executor, 59, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JOHN LEADWIDGE, late of Yallaroi, near Warialda, Shepherd, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to the Curator (through the post-office if they think fit), at his office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claim for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 18th day of OCTOBER NEXT, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to the Curator's Agent, T. H. WILKINSON, Esq., of Warialda, so as to be received from him, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
THEO. POWELL, Sub-Curator of Intestate Estates.
18th September, 1883.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ACCOUNTS, with plans of distribution, in the undermentioned estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Insolvency, King-street, Sydney, and will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 20th day of September, 1883, if not previously objected to:—
JOHN ADAMSON BRYCE, of Parramatta, Baker (No. 17,762), a first plan showing payment in full of one preferential debt, and a dividend of 2s 1 5-11d per £ on proved concurrent debts.
DAVID CASSIDY, of Wagga Wagga, Stock Dealer (No. 17,650), a first plan dividend of 1s 3 2-9d per £ on proved concurrent debts.
ALEXANDER JOHNSTONE, of Parramatta, Tailor (No. 17,918), a first plan dividend of 1s 11 1-6d per £ on proved concurrent debts.
DONALD CAMERON, of Tanborough, near Scone, Grazier (No. 17,624), a first plan dividend of 1s 2d per £ on proved concurrent debts.
And in the estate of GEORGE GLASSCOW, of Ultimo, Builder and Contractor (No. 17,268), an account current only.
LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.
27, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street, Sydney.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, Chancery Division, Mr. Justice Kay.
WAITE v. BINGLEY.
To THOMAS MAC COMBE WAITE and ARCHIBALD GEORGE KNOX WAITE, respectively, now or late of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, if living, and other the persons or person claiming to be interested through them, or otherwise, in the hereditaments and premises situate at No. 4, Old Burlington-street, in the county of Middlesex, as devisees under the will of JOHN ANTHONY WAITE late of New Cavendish-street, in the parish of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, who died on the 5th day of March, 1852; or as devisees of JOHN DOUGHTY WAITE, the father of the said John Anthony Waite, who died on the 6th day of March, 1853, or otherwise. By the direction of Mr. Justice KAY, the Judge to whom this action is attached, service of the notice of the judgment in this action on you, any, or either of you as entitled to share in such estate as devisees of the said John Anthony Waite, deceased, or John Doughty Waite, deceased, or otherwise, is dispensed with, and this advertisement is published for you respectively to come in on or before the 21st day of November, 1883, before the said Judge, at his chambers in the Royal Courts of Justice, London, England, and prove your claims. The 30th day of November, 1883, at 12 o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is fixed for the adjudication of such claims.
Dated this 3rd day of August, 1883.
ROBT. W. PEAKE, Chief Clerk.

RE JOSEPH DONNELLY and PETER O'SULLIVAN, Insolvents.
The application to discharge the order sequestrating the estate of the said JOSEPH DONNELLY and PETER O'SULLIVAN, and to present a petition to include Mr. THOMAS DAVIS, having been yesterday refused by the Chief Commissioner, all legal claims against the late firm of Donnelly, O'Sullivan, and Co. will be discharged by Mr. Thomas Davis. All persons having claims in the said firm are requested to forward their accounts to the undersigned.
Dated this eighteenth day of September, 1883.
DEANE and DEANE, 55, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, Solicitors for the said Thomas Davis.

NOTICE under the Trust Property Act of 1862.
WILLIAM MACDONNELL, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other Claimants of WILLIAM MACDONNELL, late of George-street, who died on the 12th day of July last, are, on or before the 12th day of October next, to send particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, SAMUEL MACDONNELL, one of the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, at No. 312, George-street, Sydney, or in default thereof the Executors of the Will of the said deceased will, after the said 12th of October next, distribute the assets of the said William Macdonnell, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have notice.
Dated the 12th day of September, A.D. 1883.
W. J. MACDONNELL, S. MACDONNELL, E. ROUSE, Executors of the Will of the said William Macdonnell, deceased.

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF HARRISON WADDINGTON, of Sydney, Merchant.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
The Meeting appointed to be held at the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, the 19th September instant, has been unavoidably POSTPONED to WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, at 3 p.m.
LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.
REGINALD E. FINLAY, Elected Assignee.

IN the ESTATE of WILLIAM FREDERICK M'CARTHY, Solicitor, deceased.
CREDITORS herein are requested to MEET at our Office, Moore-street, near City Bank, at 3 o'clock, THIS AFTERNOON. By order of GEORGE ROBERT WHITING, Administrator.
DAVENPORT, MILES, and CO., Public Accountants.

TRIAL BY JURY.
HERE IS AN EXAMPLE OF IT.
11-9-82.
Mr. Jeanneret.
Dear Sir,—On the 27th August, my eldest daughter, 15 years, and one three years and a baby 1 year and 10 months old, on leaving your steamer were thrown into the water through the negligence of one of your servants; and knowing your son, who is at the Registrar-General's Office, I explained the circumstances to him. He told me that you were out of town. Since then he asked me to furnish you with the amount of my loss, which at the lowest estimate would be two pounds ten shillings (£2 10s). It was quite a miracle they were not drowned. One of the children has been ill ever since and under the doctor's care, and he states that great care must be taken or else she will get congestion of the lungs. After they were taken out of the water, instead of being taken to the nearest hotel, and a change of clothes, they were sent home in a cab in their wet clothes, and no one with them. I was advised by the person who took them out of the water to write to the Marine Board, but I do not want to injure your business, nor would any amount of money compensate me for loss of my children had they been drowned. Hoping you will settle this at your earliest convenience, and that it will prevent similar accidents,
I am, yours respectfully,
R. ROBERTS.
Afterwards a solicitor is employed, and he claims £22, which being indignantly refused he commences proceedings, and ultimately claims £400, and gets £150, no evidence being called for the defence, the defendants trusting to the jury.

PACKER TESTIMONIAL FUND.
Subscription Lists are now open, and persons wishing to subscribe may leave their donations with any member of the Committee at the music warehouses, or with the undersigned. Lists published every Saturday.
AUGUST HUENERBEIN, SEBASTIAN HODGE, Hon. Secretaries.
E. A. LITTLE, G. F. JACKSON, Hon. Treasurers.

AMENDMENT OF THE LAWS OF LIBEL AND CONTEMPT OF COURT.—CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.—Subscriptions in aid of the above fund will be received and acknowledged by the Hon. Treasurers: Mr. R. G. Vallack (W. and S. Gardiner and Co., George-street); Mr. H. Pateson, Liverpool-street.
R. ATKINSON PRICE, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.—SYDNEY MARINE BENEFIT SOCIETY.—Dr. JOHN STEEL, of 52, College-street, has been appointed Medical Officer in the place of Dr. Durham, for the above society. E. T. ROMINE, Sec.

NOTICE.—CITY WEIGHBRIDGE, Sussex-street. I have this day tested the above for Mr. Burns, and certify to its correctness. Signed, ALFRED C. DENT, Inspector of Weights and Measures. September 18, 1883.

ALL CLAIMS against the late ROBERT BERRY, Commission Agent, Sussex-street, are requested to be rendered on or before the 30th September, instant, to THOMAS NORTON, 90, Sussex-street, Sydney.

LICENSING ACT OF 1882.
I, JABEZ COLE, do hereby give notice that I desire to obtain, and will, at the next Quarterly Licensing Court, to be holden at the Central Police Court, Sydney, apply for, a Certificate authorising the issue of a Colonial Wine License for premises situated on the Enmore-road, of the annual value of £200.
J. COLE.

CAUTION.—PERSONS are hereby CAUTIONED against selling
PIRATED COPIES
of my Photographs of the late
ARCHBISHOP VAUGHAN.
Persons so offending will be proceeded against under the COPYRIGHT ACT.
J. HUBERT NEWMAN, 12, Oxford-street.

IF EDWARD BENSON does not come and finish his contract at once I will have it finished at his risk.
W. TUMETH, Forest Lodge.

MRS. F. JAPP—call for Dress, or it will be sold to pay expenses. 55, Turner-street, Redfern. Mrs. Ellis.

IF Mrs. ROPER does not call for her DRESSES within a week from this date, they will be sold to defray expenses. Mrs. Holland, 158, Phillip-street. 17th September, 1883.

IF Mr. BATTY, Painter, does not proceed immediately with his contract, it will be finished at his risk.
S. LONG, Regent-street.

NOTICE.—If I do not hear from JOHN MILLIGAN before the 20th of October I intend marrying again. Elizabeth Milligan, Post Office, Sydney.

A STRANGER in Sydney, with first-class reference from an adjoining colony, will give a liberal premium for two responsible Sureties in a Contracting Business; no risk. Apply by letter, Contractor, Herald Office. Open for one week.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—A BRANCH of this Bank is now open at PERTH, in the colony of Western Australia, for the transaction of all ordinary banking business.
SHEPHERD SMITH, General Manager.
Sydney, 29th August, 1883.

THE COMPAGNONI CATERING COMPANY, PITT-STREET.
Pending the completion of alterations, the WHOLE of the LUNCHEON SALOONS will be CLOSED until MONDAY next, September 24th, on which date the recently extended and RE-DECORATED ROOMS will be open to the public. The BAR, CATERING, and other branches of the business will be carried on as heretofore.
A SUB-MANAGER has been appointed who will PERSONALLY supervise the RESTAURANT portion of the establishment.
H. J. JAMES, Manager.

TURKISH BATHS, BLIGH-STREET.
FOR GENTLEMEN,
OPEN DAILY (Sunday and Wednesday afternoons excepted).
FOR LADIES,
on Wednesday Afternoons only, from 2 p.m. till 10 p.m.
These baths have been pronounced to be highly beneficial to all persons suffering from rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, dyspepsia, indigestion, cold, sciatica, and all complaints of this nature, as well as being a healthy, invigorating, renewing of the system to all persons obliged to lead sedentary lives.
Try them, and experience their wonderful effects.
C. A. SHERWIN, Manager.

CLYDE LAD.—The purebred Prize Clydesdale Stallion CLYDE LAD will stand this season at ASHFIELD, and travel, Cook's River, Bankstown, Liverpool, George's River, Parramatta, Baulkham Hills, Ryde, &c.
For pedigree, &c., &c., see each Saturday's papers.
Apply to groom, at Dunrayde, Ashfield.

AGISTMENT FOR FIRST-CLASS CATTLE AND HORSES.—These paddocks are in first-class order, the land and grass are abundant. Abdul Khan, the imported Arabian entire, and the Little Monarch are stabled at this farm, and may be at once sent out. For terms, either for agistment or use of entires, apply at the offices of J. POTTIE, Veterinary Surgeon, 215, Elizabeth-street.

GAS STOVE "VICTORY."
Before you buy an English gas stove, lined with white tiles, read the following testimonial, and then you can please yourself.
"Hudson Brothers, Limited,
"Redfern Works, Sydney,
"August 24, 1883.
"Mr. M. Raleigh, Elizabeth-street,
"Dear Sir,—As you are aware I purchased some months ago an English gas stove, lined with tiles, which was strongly recommended to me. This stove had a fair trial, when it was found not to answer for either roasting or baking. I sent the stove to you to have it altered into a Raleigh Stove, and I have now had it in my kitchen some weeks past in its altered state, and I think it only fair to tell you that whilst in its original condition it was almost useless to me, it now answers admirably for all purposes, viz., roasting, baking, grilling, toasting, and boiling.
"Yours truly,
"JOHN J. WOOD."

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, Wool and Produce Brokers,
FAT STOCK SALESMEN, Stock and Station Agents, Grain and Metal Brokers.
OFFICE and STORES—Circular Quay, Sydney.
Liberal Advances, if required, made on all Produce or Stock consigned to us.

JAMES MOIR AND CO.
Stock, Station and General Commission Agents,
58, Margaret-street, Sydney.
Liberal advances made on STATIONS and STOCK; also on WOOL, TALLOW, HIDES, and all COLONIAL PRODUCE consigned to them for sale or shipment.

MORT'S WOOL WAREHOUSES, SYDNEY.
LIBERAL ADVANCES made on
WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, WHEAT, TIN ORE, and Other Produce,
for SALE or SHIPMENT.
MORT and CO., Limited,
Wool Warehouses,
Circular Quay, and Darling Harbour, Sydney.

ADVANCES made on Wool, Metals, and other Colonial Produce for Sale here, in London, or elsewhere. Credits granted for purchase of goods, and indents executed on the most favourable terms, through our London house, Messrs. WATT, GILCHRIST, and CO., 5, East India Avenue, Leadenhall-street.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Lloyd's Agency.

THE UNDERSIGNED will make liberal advances on WOOL or other PRODUCE consigned to their London House.
YOUNG and LARK.

Tenders.

GASFITTERS.—TENDERS wanted, for two Houses, Ultimo Hotel, Darling Harbour, sharp.

HERALD OFFICE BENEFIT SOCIETY.—TENDERS are invited from Duly Qualified Medical Practitioners for Medical Attendance on 123 members of above and their families, at per head per quarter. Tenders to be addressed G. Brown, Herald Office (from whom all particulars can be obtained), not later than SATURDAY NEXT.

TENDERS.
MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Municipal Council of Five Dock to Borrow moneys not exceeding FIFTEEN HUNDRED POUNDS by Debentures of One Hundred Pounds each, secured by mortgage or bonds, payable at the office of the Council Clerk, Five Dock, at the expiration of 10 years from the date of issue, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 6½ per cent. per annum.
The repayment of the above sum and interest to be secured by mortgage or bond over the general rates to be levied within the municipality of Five Dock, which rates are now estimated at an annual value of £800.
It is intended to apply the amount of the proposed loan in aid for the erection of council-chambers, free public library, and construction of a public wharf.
Tenders will be received up to 7 p.m. of TUESDAY, 25th instant, and must be addressed to the Mayor.
GEORGE GREVILLE, Council Clerk.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a VILLA RESIDENCE, on the ELIZABETH BAY-ROAD.
The works may be tendered for as follows:—
1. Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork.
2. Carpenters' and joiners' work and finishing trades.
3. The whole of the work in one sum.
Plans and specifications may be seen upon application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER.
MANSFIELD BROTHERS, Architects, 121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of BUSINESS PREMISES, in KING-STREET.
The works may be tendered for as follows:—
1. Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork.
2. Carpenters' and joiners' work and finishing trades.
3. The whole of the works in one sum.
Plans and specifications may be seen upon application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER.
MANSFIELD BROTHERS, Architects, 121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.
SEPARATE TENDERS are invited for the PURCHASE of the right to sell liquors at the Pavilion and Grand Stand Bars and Refreshment Rooms, for a period of 12 months from 1st October next.
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40	0 4 4	0 17 6
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PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, ELIZABETH-STREET, SYDNEY.
APPLICATIONS for permission to Attend the Examinations for the admission of pupils to the above school, to be held on the 20th instant and the 10th January, 1884, respectively, should be addressed to the Head Mistress at the school. G. MILLER, Acting Under-Secretary.
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2. Mathematics
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5. History
6. Physical Science
7. Drawing, Geometrical, and Perspective
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The hours of instruction will be from 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m., and from 1.15 to 3.15 p.m.
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University of Sydney, August 17, 1883.

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ABSTRACT OF THE REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the BOROUGH OF PETERSHAM for Half-Year ended 8th August, 1883:—

Dr. GENERAL ACCOUNT.

1883—February 9.		
To Electoral rolls (South Kingston Ward) ...		£3 2 0
April 4.		
To Government endowment:		
South Kingston Ward ...	£184 5 0	
Annandale Ward ...	57 10 4	
Sydenham Ward ...	26 16 3	
		268 11 7
April 10.		
To Fines ...		6 15 6
June 5.		
Government endowment (special):		
South Kingston Ward ...	1072 9 3	
Annandale Ward ...	361 14 10	
Sydenham Ward ...	149 16 6	
		1583 0 7
July 6.		
To Fines ...		5 1 3
August 6.		
To Balance—petty cash deposited in bank ...		3 17 6
Rates:		
South Kingston Ward ...	1188 6 0	
Annandale Ward ...	411 9 9	
Sydenham Ward ...	173 6 9	
		1773 2 6
To Building and fencing fees:		
South Kingston Ward ...	17 0 0	
Annandale Ward ...	8 15 0	
Sydenham Ward ...	6 15 0	
		32 10 0

Subscriptions for corporate purposes: Messrs. Littlejohn, £1 4s 9d; Littlejohn, £1 4s 9d; Mason, £1 4s 9d; Josephson, £8 17s 6d; Maney, £3 18s 11d; Gowing, £1 14s; Brown, £1 7s 6d; Darke, £1 14s; Seviers, £33 0s 9d; Loveridge, £9 12s 6d; Tibbitts, £1 17s 8d; Whittingham, £2 13s; Short, £1 19s 7d; Mrs. Petitt, £2 12s 3d; Messrs. Beckett, £3 8s 6d; Gelding, £6 17s 6d; James, £2 19s 2d; Wheeler, £8 18s 10d; Smith, £3 8s 4d; Pile, £4 13s 8d; Moseley, £3 14s 3d; Clarke, £3 7s 1d; Kemp, £1 19s 7d; Forster, £9 4s; Hardaker, £4 4s 3d; Latimer, 8s; Wilson, £3 1s 10d; Read, 16s 6d; Shorter, £17 15s 2d; Shorter, £3 14s; Bailey, £2 5s 7d; Watts, £1 7s; Latimer, £9 1s 7d; Waring, 14s 3d; Bennett, £4 8s 4d; Gould, £2 9s 3d; Elphinstone, £2 5s; Hardaker, £9 3s 6d; Williams, £3 14s 7d; Pros, £3 15s 6d; Campbell, £15 4s 6d; Kendall, £2 16s 9d; Reeve, £3 1s; Finlay, £10 5s; Rose, £8 11s; Clark, £1 14s 2d; Crothers, £1 13s 3d; Jacobson, £3 11s 3d; Shaw, £11 9s 6d; Cadell, £12 11s 9d; Miss Isler, £2 4s 9d; Mrs. M'Leod, £1 11s 6d; Messrs. Brown, 18s 2d; Stuckey, 18s 2d; Coates, £1 6s 11d; Evans, £1 12s 3d; Lester, £3 16s 3d; Burton, £1 14s 8d; Mr. Forster, £2 2s 9d; Pollock, £4 15s; James, £3 13s 6d; Forster, £3 12s 8d; Crothers, £13 9s; Morris, £6 19s 4d; Mrs. Rogers, £14 15s 6d; Mr. J. Beckett, £4 10s 3s; Mrs. Petitt, £3 10s 10d; Miss Cripps, £1 15s 7d; Messrs. W. L. Davis, £22 12s 9d; Triggs, £6 18s 7d; Despointes, £4 8s 1d; Brown, £1 5s 4d; Hill, £3 15s 7d; Holland, £1 3s 1d; Wearde, £2 16s 3d; Kemp, £2 12s 7d:—

South Kingston Ward ...	318 2 9	
Annandale Ward ...	34 15 1	
Sydenham Ward ...	6 8 3	
		359 6 1
To Balance ...		948 12 6
		£4984 2 6

Cr.

1883—February 5.		
By Balance ...		£1071 16 9

SOUTH KINGSTON WARD.

August 6.		
Improvements:		
Durham-street ...	£1 2 6	
Sadler-crescent ...	2 8 6	
Holt-street ...	1 13 6	
West-street ...	84 3 8	
Regent-street ...	3 10 8	
Trafalgar-crescent ...	7 6 11	
Dulwich-street ...	10 18 4	
Bent-street ...	2 1 6	
Railway-terrace ...	69 2 10	
Palace-street ...	10 17 9	
Frank-street ...	20 12 8	
Eltham-street ...	65 15 1	
Union-street ...	9 7 6	
Liberty-street ...	3 18 2	
Old Canterbury-road ...	99 19 8	
Hill-street ...	3 7 0	
Fisher-street ...	2 0 0	
Fraser-road ...	120 16 7	
Grove-street ...	36 14 5	
Denison-road ...	244 1 0	
Charles-street East ...	0 3 9	
Merchant-street ...	92 13 9	
Cavendish-lane ...	39 4 4	
The Boulevard ...	58 9 6	
Toothill-street ...	66 9 10	
Hobbs-street ...	63 5 4	
New Canterbury-road ...	303 3 3	
New Cook's River-road ...	44 5 11	
Morton-street ...	61 4 8	
Manchester-street ...	16 16 6	
Harrow-road ...	24 5 1	
High Canterbury-road ...	0 7 6	
Crystal-street ...	2 5 2	
Lewisham-street ...	10 0 0	
Water-street ...	4 14 9	
Weston-street ...	9 2 11	
Constitution-road ...	5 1 1	
Cambridge-street ...	313 15 0	
Windsor-road ...	0 7 6	
Stanmore-road ...	63 0 4	
Cavendish-street ...	359 12 10	
Trafalgar-terrace ...	104 17 9	
Victoria-street ...	155 4 9	
Malton-crescent ...	47 10 1	
Wardell-street ...	22 9 5	
Cobar-street ...	6 0 0	
Krombit-street ...	3 17 6	
Albert-street ...	0 5 7	
Removing rubbish ...	48 6 0	
Drain pipes ...	12 15 0	
		2749 1 10

ANNANDALE WARD.

By Improvements:		
Westbourne-street ...	0 18 0	
Margaret-street ...	21 13 1	
Railway-street ...	57 6 3	
Terminus-street ...	3 17 9	
Norward-street ...	29 9 3	
Burns-street ...	3 16 6	
Parramatta-road ...	51 6 2	
Croydon-street ...	34 18 6	
Petersham-street ...	17 1 1	
Yule-street ...	1 8 2	
Palace-street ...	122 17 3	
Robert-street ...	0 15 0	
Charles-street ...	19 14 9	
Crystal-street ...	13 8 5	
Brighton-lane ...	0 13 6	
Brighton-street ...	44 18 6	
Removing rubbish...	12 1 6	
		437 7 11

SYDENHAM WARD.

By Improvements:		
Cork-street ...	0 15 0	
Barker-street ...	1 13 0	
High Canterbury-road	2 19 3	
Brighton-street ...	0 7 6	
Palace-street ...	29 8 4	
Andreas-street ...	108 9 8	
Station-street ...	11 2 8	
New Cook's River-road	1 19 4	
Removing rubbish ...	8 17 9	
		169 11 8
Election Expenses:		
South Kingston Ward ...	10 8 0	
Sydenham Ward ...	6 6 6	
		16 14 6
Alignment Posts:		
South Kingston Ward ...	115 10 0	
Annandale Ward ...	46 13 4	
		162 3 4
Water (stand-pipe, Parramatta-road) ...		17 2 6
General Expenses:		
Salaries, valuation, advertising, printing, interest on overdraft, tools, &c., &c. ...		376 4 0
		£4984 2 6

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT.

Dr.		
1883—August 6—		
To Hire of hall and rooms...		£42 6 6
Balance ...		212 16 5
		£255 2 11
Cr.		
1883—February 6—		
By Balance ...		£48 10 10
March 13—		
By P. Tyne ...		60 0 0
April 9—		
By Gas Company ...		5 5 4
Neale, interest ...		22 10 0
Curgoen, repairs ...		1 0 0
Walker, repairs to gas pipe ...		2 4 0
April 16—		
By interest on overdrawn account ...		1 16 2
May 7—		
By Muhs and Harder ...		4 0 0
June 18—		
By Neale, interest ...		22 10 0
July 2—		
By Penfold, interest ...		80 3 6
Insurance ...		3 10 0
Refund, Dwight Fund ...		3 2 0
July 12—		
By Gas ...		11 12 1
		255 2 11
		£255 2 11

GAS ACCOUNT.

Dr.		
1883—February 6,		
To Balance ...		£180 8 7
August 6.		
To Rates—		
South Kingston Ward ...	£298 9 11	
Annandale Ward ...	103 11 1	
Sydenham Ward ...	43 5 3	
		445 6 3
		£625 14 10
Cr.		
1883—August 6.		
By Lighting—South Kingston Ward ...	£312 10 0	
Annandale Ward ...	101 10 0	
Sydenham Ward ...	28 0 0	
		£442 0 0
Balance ...		181 3 10
		£625 14 10

I certify the above accounts to be correct, and to correspond with the books of accounts and vouchers, or other documents in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Petersham.
JOHN GELDING, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of accounts, vouchers, and other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Petersham have been exhibited to us, that the foregoing statements correspond with such books of accounts and vouchers, or other documents, and that the above account is correct.

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ENGLISH AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

LONDON, Aug. 11.

The assassination of Carey has dealt a severe blow at the slowly recovering prestige of the English Executive in the sister isle. It has shown that those who seek to save themselves from the gallows at the expense of their companions in crime will have to reckon with an avenger, and henceforth intending informers will be compelled to weigh the chances of being hung with those of being assassinated. That the Government should have failed to protect the life of their chief informer cannot be too deeply regretted, not for the sake of the despicable wretch himself, but because their failure to do so will neutralise the effect of much that they have done to stamp out crime during the past six or seven months. Earl Spencer, it is well known, bitterly blames the Government in private for the way in which they have blundered over the disposal, not only of this man Carey, but of the other three informers whom the Victorian Government decline to allow to land on their shores. According to the opinion of many experienced officials in Dublin, it was the height of folly to send any of the men out of the country for some time to come. As it was, they have been turned out almost unprotected upon the world at the very time when the hue and cry after them is at its hottest. The tone of the nationalist journals over this event is, of course, jubilant in the extreme. One of them exultingly points out that by turning informer Carey only saved his life by two months, and that he was no better off for not being hung with his companions. When the news became known in Ireland the public rejoicings were universal. Bonfires blazed in the streets of all the principal towns, nor could the utmost efforts of the police put a stop to them. In the Dublin Police Court alone last week over a hundred persons were fined for assisting at these demonstrations, but the punishment was entirely without effect. During the daytime boys and girls collected subscriptions in the public streets for the purchase of the materials for the evening's bonfire; the usual form of solicitation being, "Please, sir, give me a penny to burn James Carey." Ballad singers have also been hawking about the streets a song on the event, the chorus of which runs—"Fill up the glass, and let it pass, and whisky drink galore; our greatest foe is down below, and he'll be seen no more."

One or two important discussions have taken place in Parliament respecting the English occupation of Egypt. In consequence of the refusal of the House to support Mr. Gladstone's proposed bargain with M. de Lesseps, the right hon. gentleman used words which I think I have already referred to—namely, a marked allusion to our "temporary and exceptional position in Egypt." This expression called forth a good deal of comment, and questions have been asked in Parliament with the object of learning what the Government really meant to do, or whether they had any programme at all as to their future in the Nile Valley. On the one hand, Mr. Gladstone was pressed by the Radicals to carry out his promise of a withdrawal—fixed by Lord Hartington in the spring at six months—and, on the other hand, the Government had to confront the pressure of the Conservatives and of the bulk of public opinion at home, which practically favours a permanent occupation of the county. Mr. Gladstone's explanation on this point has been exceedingly adroit. He has stated that we are in Egypt for a specific purpose, and until that purpose is accomplished we cannot withdraw. He has also read to the House a letter from Lord Dufferin, wherein the letter expresses an opinion that the Egyptian army is being satisfactorily reorganised, and that the various aspects of the administrative, police, and judicial reforms, are, on the whole, favourable. Mr. Gladstone was fortunate enough to be able to use phrases as to the impossibility of stating when we can withdraw from Egypt which both Tories and Radicals were equally satisfied with. The latter were well content with Lord Dufferin's letter and Mr. Gladstone's promise that Egypt shall yet be left to herself, while the Tories, on the other hand, were pleased to learn that we shall keep "a watch at Cairo till a people which has never yet in history conceived the idea of managing its own affairs has assimilated a proper constitution of a pronounced Liberal type." Such is the *Standard's* construction of Mr. Gladstone's precedent conditions to our withdrawal from the country. The story attributed to Prince Bismark of having, in conversation with the Prince of Wales, blamed Mr. Gladstone for not openly annexing Egypt does not find general credence. The words, however, attributed to the German Chancellor are known to be in accord with his opinions. The impression with regard to this subject in England is that the Government feel bound by their pledges, but they are embarrassed by their duties.

The Suez Canal debate which took place last Monday was virtually a beating of the air. Sir Stafford Northcote committed a huge mistake in forcing a conflict over a resolution which could be assented to by everybody, and was approved of by nobody. The right hon. gentleman asked the House to adopt a motion in favour of petitioning the Queen that, in any future negotiations with the Suez Canal Company, she would not recognise any claims to a monopoly which would have the effect of preventing competition on the part of other undertakings. Mr. Norwood, on the Liberal side of the House, proposed an amendment, with the object of leaving the hands of Parliament and the Government free in the matter, and this amendment was carried by the large majority of 99. The leader of the Opposition committed a serious tactical blunder in pressing his proposal to a division, and thereby enabling the Government to show the country that they possessed so large a majority. Moreover, the arguments with which his motion was supported advanced nothing, as Mr. Gladstone said, which the Government were not prepared to concede, and the only special feature brought to light by the debate related to the legal aspects of the question. Though the Attorney-General made out an excellent case from the standpoint of equity in favour of M. de Lesseps' monopoly, some of the ablest lawyers in the House of Commons adopted the contrary view, with almost equal force and clearness. Mr. Arthur Cohen, Q.C., a very high authority, argued that the concession to M. de Lesseps was of the nature of a franchise, and that if the Khedive chose to offer M. de Lesseps compensation, which that gentleman would be bound to accept, he might confer a similar franchise upon any other company. The view at present taken by the English Government is that M. de Lesseps cannot cut a second canal across the Isthmus without obtaining a fresh concession, nor can he even widen the present waterway, though it is within his power to deepen it.

The Parliamentary proceedings also included two or three other subjects of rather more than average interest. For instance, there has been an excellent debate on South African affairs, in which the Government came out, not with flying colours exactly, but certainly with more credit than had been expected. Owing to the foolish tactics of the Opposition, Mr. Gladstone was able to fix upon them the original causes of our South African complications, and, possibly, the dexterity of the right hon. gentleman, and his superior skill as a debater has never come out in greater strength than during the past week. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach fell under his lash most heavily, and Mr. Gladstone was able to show his critics on the Opposition side of the House that it was in consequence of endeavouring to repair the injuries which had been done, and to counteract the follies which had been committed by the Conservatives when in office, that the recent phases of the South African difficulties had occurred. The Government had not always succeeded in their endeavours, but he pointed out with considerable skill that the blame was not wholly with them. The news from South Africa since the defeat of Cetewayo was reported has led to the opinion that Usibepu's successes would be followed by a greater calm in Zululand. The last day or two has brought us intelligence that Cetewayo is still alive. If this be so, the ex-Zulu King will probably be regarded by statesmen in this country as the ghost at the banquet. He declined to relieve them of the responsibility caused by his presence.

Mr. Gladstone's answer in the House of Commons to Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett, to the effect that the Government saw no reason for changing their opinion respecting the annexation of New Guinea, has caused a real surprise. It was known that her Majesty's Ministers had been seriously impressed by the memorandum of the Agents-General in favour of the South Pacific and New Guinea annexations, and it was thought that they would avail themselves of an early opportunity to satisfy the colonies at least to some degree. It must not be assumed, however, that the Cabinet are standing by the hard-and-fast lines which Mr. Gladstone's answer would seem to imply. In the first place there is no man in the House of Commons to whom they would be so indisposed to make substantial explanations as Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett. In the next place it is unreasonable to expect that they would suddenly perform a change of front under circumstances which would carry with them a condemnation of their earlier decision. Moreover, there is a good reason for stating that certain members of the Government are privately making many inquiries as to what form of settlement will suit the circumstances of the case. I am not singular in believing that, sooner or later, the Government will give way to the demands of the colonies, and that it would require but very little pressure indeed to force the hands of her Majesty's Ministers on this subject. So slight a temptation is necessary that if the colonies could suggest some financial project sufficient to indicate that they are working together, that they are united in object, and willing to bear a substantial part of the expense, I firmly believe that her Majesty's Ministers would not raise any serious opposition to the projects which have been laid before them. The bill which has lately passed through the French Chamber, proposing to flood the Pacific islands with something like 60,000 of the worst criminal classes in France, has greatly annoyed the authorities in Downing-street. They feel bound to respect the French feeling respecting the New Hebrides—as to which it is useless for the colonies to make any demands—but nearly everything else which the Australian colonies have asked for would most likely be obtained, if the colonies would show a spirit of union, and a combined willingness to bear some at least of the expense. Altogether, the circumstances of this case remind me very much of the story of the instructions given to Admiral Edward Collingwood. An official despatch was forwarded directing him to refrain from going into action; but the Duke of Clarence, then Lord High Admiral, scribbled on a bit of paper which he enclosed with the despatch, "These are the official instructions; but I say, 'Go it, Ned!'" A good many persons who are bound by circumstances to approve of the views of the Government on these annexation questions are very much in the position of the Duke of Clarence. The issue rests with the colonies themselves if, in sporting phrase, they will only "make the running."

The friends of the colonies in this country have had substantial cause for irritation by reason of the circumstances attending the despatch of several of the Dublin informers to Australia. When paragraphs appeared in the newspapers some six weeks or two months ago to the effect that several informers would most likely be sent to Australia, the idea occurred to some of the Agents-General whether a formal protest should not be made against that step. Though there was no combined action among the Australian Agents-General, one of their number, Mr. Murray Smith, lodged a strong protest at the Colonial Office against the idea of sending informers to Australia, his chief interest of course being in his own colony. The other Agents-General were content with this action, especially as there seemed to be no absolute probability of the news in the London journals being correct. There was a widely prevalent feeling that many of the newspaper statements as to the whereabouts of the informers were simply intended to throw dust in the eyes of the public, and it was certainly incredible that any journal should be permitted to mention the precise neighbourhood to which they would be despatched. The Colonial Office placed themselves in communication with the Irish Executive, and when telegrams reached this country announcing that the Pathan had arrived at Melbourne, and that the Melbourne Government had refused to permit the informers to land, so incredible was the whole story that the officials in the Colonial Office did not believe it, especially as they had recent assurances from the Irish authorities that no "notorious informers" would be sent to Australia. The Agents-General have left the future stages of the battle to be fought by Mr. Murray Smith, but they none the less share his feeling against the imprudence of sending informers to Australia, and the whole occurrence has caused no small measure of indignation. The *St. James's Gazette* has taken up the case of the colonies with a good deal of vigour, and it is very likely that the attention of Parliament will be called to the subject. The fault for this blunder seems to rest with the Dublin police officials, who have been permitted to have too much of their own way.

The insulting questions asked by Mr. Healy respecting the disbenching of certain Irish magistrates in Sydney arose out of the intense feeling of disappointment which prevails in the Parnellite ranks because of the treatment which the Redmond mission received in Sydney. Mr. Healy's threat to inquire how many of the Sydney Government and officials are descendants of convicts is not likely to be carried out, unless Mr. Healy desires to be snubbed by the Speaker. In the event, however, of Mr. Healy pressing this query, Sir Saul Samuel has written a letter to the Under-Secretary for the Colonies, which he may read to the Commons if he likes, protesting against such aspersions on a loyal colony. Mr. Healy's attack is an excellent testimony of the successful blow which your colony has struck at the Redmond agitators.

The cholera in Egypt has carried off about 12,000 persons, including about 130 English soldiers, three officers, and one chaplain. Within the last few days, however, there has been a rapid decline in the epidemic, and the rising of the Nile encourages the hope that we are now within a measurable distance of the end of this scourge. The English authorities are at length making their influence felt, and even the Prefect of Cairo has been compelled to acknowledge their superior wisdom, and bow to their requests. Of all the horrible details connected with this epidemic nothing is worse than the history of the plague in the Cairo madhouse. The authorities denied the existence of the cholera in this building as long as they could, but when it could be no longer concealed, and when the British officials were able to obtain admission to the asylum, there was presented to them one of the most revolting spectacles on record. The newspapers will doubtless give you details as to how the dead and dying were lying together, how corpses were left unburied for days, how the poor mad wretches were shut up for weeks and months in an iron cage, and how an utter neglect of diet and cleanliness pervaded the whole building.

The Republican rising at Badajoz was something like a thunderbolt in a clear sky. A couple of lieutenant-colonels in command of two regiments took it into their heads to launch a *pronunciamento*, and the chief of the district having gone away for his holidays, they were able to induce their men to support them in raising the Republican flag. A few of the lower classes of the town fraternised with the troops, but immediately the circumstances became known at Madrid a small army corps was organised and despatched to the spot. The Republicans did not attempt to make a stand, but withdrew into Portugese territory, where they were at once disarmed and interned. Very little importance attached to this outbreak in the first instance because the Republican party in Spain seemed to be quiescent, and because the country appeared to be thoroughly satisfied with the endeavours of the young King Alphonso to administer its affairs. Within the last day or two, however, we have heard of three or four other small risings in different parts of the peninsula, and it is possible this difficulty may be now invested with more seriousness than was at first expected. It is a remarkable circumstance that in no case has the civilian element joined with any degree of heartiness in the movement. Each rising seems to have been of military origin, and an impression prevails that the wires are being pulled by Republican agitators in Paris.

There is little news from Tonquin. It is believed that the French are being seriously embarrassed by the attitude of China. The latter decline to adopt any definite policy till they see the measure of the French aims. China has been making large purchases of arms in America, and she has concentrated a powerful force on the Anam frontier.

We have received further news from Madagascar. Our first intimation of this additional intelligence came from Mr. Gladstone himself at the Lord Mayor's banquet when he stated that, although he had not mastered the details of the despatches which have just arrived, he was able to say that they were of such a character as to justify the belief that none of the recent transactions in Madagascar were likely to cause any serious difficulty with France. This was, in fact, a public *amende* to France for the haste with which the right hon. gentleman had accused Admiral Pierre of cruelty to Consul Pakenham under circumstances to which I have already referred. In answer to private and public questions in the House of Commons, Mr. Gladstone has intimated that while the conduct of the French Admiral was possibly not so bad as has been represented, there was some reason for thinking that our own officials, meaning Captain Johnstone, of the Dryad, had not been free from blame.

Mr. Shapira, of Jerusalem, a well-known archæologist, has just brought over to England some interesting manuscripts. They consist of about 15 slips of leather, on which are written in Chaldæic characters portions of the Book of Deuteronomy. Their age is supposed to be about 2600 B.C. The chief interest about them lies in the fact that, if genuine, they will very materially modify the present reading of the Book of Deuteronomy, the Ten Commandments amongst other portions. Mr. Shapira offers them to the English Government for the sum of a million sterling. They are at present deposited in the British Museum, and are undergoing examination by Dr. Ginsberg and other antiquarians; but a very general suspicion exists that they are not genuine.

The Amsterdam Exhibition is now in full swing, which, however, is not saying much, because it is certainly very far from being a success. The difficulties which have unfortunately arisen between Mr. Holt and Mr. Bonnard have seriously affected the New South Wales representations. It has been exceedingly difficult to obtain jurors for the Australian exhibits, and even the Australian wines have had to be tested very largely by Dutchmen, who of course are familiar with little else but schnapps. Mr. Bonnard has had to trust almost entirely to Mynheers for supplying the ranks of the judges. A suggestion has been made, and something may possibly come of it, that the colonial exhibits shall become the basis of a local museum.

The five men—Featherstone, Deasy, Flanagan, Dalton, and O'Herlihy—who were arrested, some at Liverpool and some at Cork, in possession of dynamite and infernal machines, have just been tried at Liverpool on the charge of treason-felony. The last-named, O'Herlihy, was discharged, but immediately arrested again to take his trial on a minor count. The remaining four were found guilty, and sentenced to penal servitude for life. There is little doubt but that they were all members of the gang under the leadership of Dr. Gallagher, and they have been awarded the same punishment as was meted out to him. Considerable importance is attached to the arrest of a gentlemanly-looking man named M'Dermott, who was taken into custody at Liverpool just as he was leaving a steamer from America. Important documents were found in his possession, and, after a preliminary examination before the magistrate, he has been remanded for further inquiries.

From our files of papers to the 10th August we extract the following intelligence :—

THE DISMISSAL OF MAGISTRATES IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

In the House of Commons on August 6, Mr. Healy asked the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies if his attention had been drawn to the following letter addressed to three magistrates, Messrs. Dalton, Casey, and Burke, by the Colonial Secretary, Sydney:—"Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, March 8, 1883. Sir,—My attention having been attracted by a statement in the newspapers that you, while holding her Majesty's commission of the peace, did sign and present to Mr. Redmond, on the occasion of his recent visit to Orange, an address, in which you characterised her Majesty's High Court of Parliament of the United Kingdom as a 'foreign Senate,' and expressed your 'admiration of resolute resistance' to what you designate as its 'oppressive proceedings,' I desire to invite you to make any explanation you may have to offer of expressions which otherwise appear inconsistent with the commission you hold.—I have, &c., ALEX. STUART;" whether on their replies being deemed unsatisfactory, the Governor ordered their removal from the commission of the peace; whether the Government approved of the Governor's action; whether the correspondence could be presented to the House, and whether the Governor's salary was paid out of the Imperial taxation, and if it had yet been voted. Mr. Ashley: The facts stated in the first part of the question are correct, with the exception of the impression conveyed in the second paragraph, that the Governor ordered their removal from the commission of the peace. It is true the Governor, as the head of the Executive, acted in the usual way, but on the responsibility and initiative of the loyal Government of Sydney, which recommended to him the course he should adopt. As to the third question, whether the Government approved of the Governor's action, I hardly think it is a question for the Home Government to express either approval or disapproval of an act done by a Government of Australia in internal affairs; but the Secretary of State, in acknowledging the receipt of the despatch, while expressing his regret at the circumstances which occurred, expressed also his satisfaction that the Government of New South Wales had not hesitated to require that the magistrates should set an example of proper respect for lawful authority. The whole correspondence has been laid before the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, and there will be no objection to lay it on the table of this House. The salary of the Governor is paid by the colonial fund. Mr. Sexton: May I ask the hon. gentleman what he meant by "the loyal Government of Sydney?" Is there one Government loyal and another disloyal? (No, no.) Mr. Ashley: I mean what I said. (Laughter.) Mr. Parnell: I wish to ask the hon. gentlemen whether "the loyal Government" which he describes is the Government nominated by the Crown—(No, no)—and whether he wishes to draw any distinction between the Government of the colony in question nominated by the Crown and the elected representatives of the people? (No, no.) Mr. Ashley: No, sir. (Hear, hear.) New South Wales is self-governed—(Hear, hear)—and the Government depends upon the majority in the Legislative Assembly. Mr. W. O'Brien: I wish to ask the hon. gentleman whether he means by "the loyal Government" the Government that is refusing to accept the consignment of Irish informers? (Derisive cheers by the Irish members.) Mr. Healy: I beg to give notice that I shall ask the hon. gentleman how many convicts are in the Legislature of Sydney—(Oh, oh, and laughter); whether any convicts—pickpockets and so forth—exported from this country have found their way into the Government of New South Wales. (Oh, oh.) On the following evening Mr. Healy asked the Chief Secretary if he could state whether any money had been spent in the Government emigration scheme to send Irishmen to New South Wales; and whether it was intended to grant any further money for that purpose. Mr. Trevelyan said that some grants had been made, but up to the present only one person so assisted appeared to have sailed to that colony. Persons who had been recommended for the grant, and who obtained free or assisted passages from the Agent-General of New South Wales, or any other colony, within a reasonable time, would, according to the present intention of the Emigration Committee and Local Government Board, obtain the grant. Mr. Healy next asked whether the Government would warn intending emigrants of the character of the Government of New South Wales, and that they were likely to be insulted if they went there, on account of their nationality. No answer was given to the question.

IRISH EMIGRATION.

In the House of Lords, on the 31st July, in reply to Lord Emly, the Earl of Derby stated that a proposal for an advance by the British Government of £1,000,000 for 10 years without interest for the purpose of promoting the emigration from Ireland of 10,000 families, each of which would be settled in Canada on 160 acres of land, and provided with a house and other necessaries, had been assented to in principle by her Majesty's Government, but they required that the money should be advanced to the Canadian Government, which should hold itself responsible for the repayment, and not to the various companies which would undertake to carry out the scheme. Up to the present time, however, the Canadian Government had refused to incur any responsibility, but the negotiations were by no means at an end, and the hope of arriving at a successful result had not been abandoned.

THE PRIMACY OF AUSTRALIA.

"Anglo-Australian" writes in the *European Mail*:—"Everyone to whom I have mentioned the subject is glad to find that the Primacy of Australia and Tasmania has fallen upon Canon Barry. The news that he had been chosen unanimously to be the Metropolitan of New South Wales has carried satisfaction with it everywhere. In these days the selection of such ecclesiastical dignitaries is of the highest moment to all members of the communities, and errors of judgment are sure, in such trying and critical times, to be fraught with disastrous results. As it is, no choice could be better, and Australia may be congratulated on having secured such a man as Canon Barry to be the hierarch of its higher religious culture."

SIGNOR D'ALBERTIS AND NEW GUINEA.

Mr. R. D. Adams, of Sydney, observing in the English papers that Italy seems to think she has a special claim on New Guinea by virtue of the explorations of Signor d'Albertis, an Italian subject, writes to the *Times* to point out that this was much more a Sydney expedition than an Italian one, as the New South Wales Government lent him the steam launch Nea (which he left, or lost, there), and certainly some considerable portion (if not the whole even) of the cost was defrayed by subscriptions from a few public-spirited men in the colony. As a matter of fact, says Mr. Adams, every exploring expedition has started from Sydney, and, therefore, New South Wales, and through her, of course, Great Britain, is fairly entitled to claim New Guinea as an "English Discovery," as what little Signor d'Albertis did is a drop in a bucket as compared to Mr. Macleay's and Messrs. Lawes and Macfarlane's work there. What Mr. Adams says (observes the *Home News*) is perfectly correct, and there is little doubt, as he suggests, that had the Hon. W. S. Macleay been the subject of almost any other Power the world would have been informed of his "unparalleled patriotism," and he would certainly have been decorated, and probably ennobled.

DR. TUCKER AND LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

Dr. Tucker, now on a mission of insanity, has (says the *European Mail* of August 10) left Amsterdam, and is now on a tour of inspection of insane hospitals and lunatic asylums in Holland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, and Russia. At the time of writing he is at St. Petersburg, whence he goes to Moscow, and as far east as Nijni Novgorod and Astrakan. Returning to England towards the end of summer, Dr. Tucker will spend several months visiting every asylum—save a few private ones—in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales. During the winter, making his headquarters at Rome, he will continue his work of visiting asylums in the southern countries of Europe, including France, Spain, Portugal, and Italy, and will then return home to Australia by way of the Suez Canal and India.

THE CHOLERA IN EGYPT.

A Cairo telegram of the 9th August states that "according to the latest official returns there can be no doubt that cholera is dying out in Cairo, where only 78 deaths occurred during the last 24 hours. In the interior, however, the disease fluctuates, 490 deaths having been recorded as against 382 during the preceding period. But the most serious increase in the cholera mortality has occurred in Alexandria, where the number of deaths has jumped from nine to 19. The mortality is mostly confined to the lower class European population, who had furnished no fewer than 13 out of the 19 victims referred to. There is very great distress amongst the cholera-stricken refugees at Kafr Dowar, but nothing has yet been done by the Government to alleviate it in any manner. The admirable arrangements for combating the disease amongst the British troops have at length borne fruit, not a single death having occurred at Cairo, Ismailia, or Suez, and only one fresh case of cholera having been recorded in that neighbourhood during the last 24 hours. The loss among the hospital orderlies is comparatively severe—a fact which rather tells against the non-contagious theory, whose supporters have always maintained that the percentage of deaths amongst those in constant contact with the disease is no greater than that of the general public. This has by no means been the case in the present instance."

FINDING THE BODY OF CAPTAIN WEBB.

In recording the recovery of Captain Webb's body about four miles below the rapids, it is stated by the correspondent of an English paper that no doubt the tremendous force of the whirlpool, in which objects have sometimes been seen whirling round and round for days, had kept it near the spot. The body bore evidence of the fearful violence of the struggle which the unfortunate swimmer had undergone. His bathing drawers were torn to fragments, and on the centre of the head was a deep cut, which left the skull exposed for three inches. This would seem to indicate that Webb had been dashed by the resistless force of the current against one of those jagged peaks of rock which he himself specified as amongst the greatest perils of his journey. The other bruises on the body were but slight and unimportant. A jury was immediately summoned, and an inquiry held in due form, at the close of which a verdict of found drowned was returned. It appears that there was no wound sufficient to cause death save one, 3½ inches long, in the cranium. This wound was made after death. None of the symptoms of death by drowning were revealed, and it was concluded that death resulted from the shock from the force of the water in the whirlpool rapids coming in contact with the submerged body with such force as instantly to destroy the respiratory power, and in fact all vital action. The shock was of sufficient intensity to paralyse the nerve centres, partially desiccate the muscular tissues, and forestall death by drowning. Captain Webb's death has created all the more sensation and regret from the fact that until the last moment no one supposed that he would actually be rash enough to make the attempt. It was believed, and with too good reason, as the event has proved, that it was impossible for any swimmer, however skilful or intrepid, to escape the double danger of the projecting rocks at the side and of the fatal whirlpool in the centre.

APPALLING SCENE AT A FIRE.

A fire, resulting in the loss of four lives and in serious injury to two other persons, occurred on the premises of the *Mercury* newspaper, at Bridgewater, occupied by Mr. Dunsford, editor of the paper, Mrs. Dunsford, four children, and a servant. Mr. and Mrs. Dunsford retired to rest between 11 and 12 o'clock, leaving, as they thought, everything safe. About 2 o'clock in the morning they were aroused by a strong smell of smoke, and Mr. Dunsford at once attempted to descend to the office and to the lower rooms of the house, but the smoke was so dense and suffocating that he was driven back. He therefore at once entered the children's apartment, and attempted to reach the upper rooms with them. He fell several times on his way and lost the children, three of whom—little girls varying in age from three to nine years—were suffocated. Mr. and Mrs. Dunsford and another child appeared at the top window of the house and cried to the excited crowd, who had assembled in the street below, to fetch the fire-escape, but it appears that the usual life-saving apparatus was locked up, and the man who kept the key could not be found. The child was saved by being dropped to a neighbour. Mr. Dunsford then threw out a bed with the idea that he and his wife would be able to drop upon it with little or no injury. Mrs. Dunsford was then persuaded to try the terrible leap, but instead of falling upon the bed she fell upon the pavement, and was taken up terribly injured. She was at once conveyed to the Bridgewater Infirmary, where it was found that she had sustained a broken leg and arm and fractured ribs, besides having received a terrible cut upon the head. She has since died. Mr. Dunsford was rescued by means of a ladder, which was obtained, but not before he had been seriously burned.

THE TRIAL OF HUNGARIAN JEWS.

On the 3rd August (writes the Vienna correspondent of the *Standard*) as the hour for pronouncing the verdict in the Tisza-Eszlar trial approached, the Vienna newspaper offices were besieged by thousands eager to hear the result. Hundreds of telegrams arrived from towns and villages in the various provinces, asking for details of the proceedings. At Nyiregyhaza the scene was less exciting than had been apprehended. The mob had vented its dissatisfaction in an assault on Dr. Eötvös, the principal counsel of the prisoners. That gentleman and three other counsel were attacked in the open street, but effected a hurried escape into Dr. Eötvös's house, in which more than 70 window-panes were smashed before the police could disperse the crowd. [The prisoners were charged with the murder of a Christian girl, the object of the murder being to obtain her blood for religious rites, and is an instance of the ignorance and bigotry still prevailing in some parts of Europe. The trial lasted over six weeks, in which the documents read in court numbered 1500 sheets, and inhabitants of entire villages were summoned to give evidence.] On the above date the Court pronounced its verdict, acquitting all the prisoners. The counsel who appeared for Esther's mother thereupon lodged an appeal against the judgment, but this did not prevent the Court ordering the liberation of the prisoners. The accused and their counsel upon this expressed their most hearty thanks to the President, who, in reply, addressed to the prisoners the following words:—"You are restored to liberty, and you will now return to live amidst your Christian fellow-subjects. Avoid giving them any provocation. Be quiet and peaceable in order that excited passions may not be revived. For your pains and sufferings your judges are not responsible, but the deplorable circumstances of the case. Bear your fate without rancour. That is my farewell advice." At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the prisoners were set free. They were received by their wives and children in Nyiregyhaza old prison, the scene being deeply affecting. They all left by a side door, and were escorted on their way out of town by gendarmes. Thousands of persons were waiting at the principal entrance to see them come out. Each of the liberated persons received 150 florins from the Jewish Association, and numerous other gifts from private persons. Deputations came from all parts of the country to thank Dr. Eötvös for having removed the suspicion which had been so long weighing on all the Jews of Hungary. An hour after the liberation of the accused an exciting scene took place at the Sub-Prefect's office. The boy Moritz Scharf was asked by his father and Eötvös whether he would voluntarily return to his father's house or to that of one of three Jews in Pesth and elsewhere, who had offered to adopt him. The boy flatly refused to go to any of them, and so remains with his present guardians until the Government have decided what to do with him. Being under age, the boy, according to the law, ought to be restored to his parents.

THE GREAT EARTHQUAKE AT ISCHIA.

The beautiful island of Ischia, the little paradise which for ages has been the resort of those who would escape from the summer heat of Naples, or seek health from the thermal springs that gush forth from its volcanic soil, has been visited by a calamity of a kind too frequent in its annals, yet surpassing, it would seem, any that has been recorded in recent times. A tremendous earthquake devastated the island on July 28 completely destroying some of the chief towns, particularly Casamicciola, so well known to tourists and bathers. Here there is the most widespread ruin; the houses in the town have been overthrown; the hotels and villas are at some distance from the town proper, but these would seem to have shared the same fate. If we are to credit the news transmitted in the first excitement of the disaster the loss of life has been beyond example. The number of victims represents a calamity beyond imagination. The towns of Casamicciola, Lacco, Ameno, and Forio are, according to one account, completely destroyed, the road between Ischia and Casamicciola is rendered impassable, and the hotels are heaps of ruins. It is to be feared that this disaster will exercise a most unfortunate influence on the prospects of the island by deterring visitors from frequenting it. Although no eruption of Monte Epomeo or San Nicola, under which the giant Typhœus was fabled to be buried, has occurred since 1302, the island has been frequently visited by earthquakes, and the last of these, which occurred a little more than two years ago, caused great consternation. The ruin it made was, however, nothing in comparison with that produced by the present tremendous visitation. The western portion of the island, that most frequented by visitors, is now covered with ruins. A part of the eastern coast, however, seems to have escaped, and the town of Ischia is intact.

The following incidents of the catastrophe are supplied by the correspondent of the *Daily News*:—The Hotel Piccola Sentinella sank and buried many under the ruins. Some escaped at the first shock to the sea, hurried on board the steamers, and brought the news of the disaster. The centre of the shock was just where it was two years ago, but the radius is wider and the destruction larger. The disastrous shock was felt at sea, and was preceded by rumbling noises. A friend of mine staying at the Piccola Sentinella fled with nothing but a parcel of candles, most useful in the utter darkness. He made his way over heaps of ruins to the seashore. Another, living near the now ruined bath establishment, escaped amid falling walls and balconies, suffocating dust, and the cries of terrified people "To the sea!" "To the sea!" Many people were luckily in a theatre, a wooden structure, which was literally torn open, allowing the audience to escape. The number of the dead is estimated at 3000. At Lacco also there are many dead and wounded. At Forio the churches are dilapidated, but there are no victims. At Serrara there were 15 deaths. Many houses were ruined. The ground opened in many places. In other parts hot springs burst forth. Several boilers in the bathing establishments exploded. The excitement in Naples is intense. This may be easily imagined from the fact that at least 2000 people were taking the baths at Ischia. The family of the English chaplain escaped, with the loss of one child. There were very few English visitors at the time of the catastrophe at Casamicciola. Among those killed at the Piccola Sentinella are Mr. and Mrs. Green. All the steamers plying between Naples and Casamicciola have been chartered by the Government to bring away the wounded.

An eye witness writes: "The shocks of earthquake are said to have been three in number; but it was the first which, in 15 brief seconds, overthrew the town completely; the others were mere *coups-de-grâce*. Many of the survivors owe their escape to having been at the time in the theatre, situate at a fortunate distance from stone walls. It was a slight, temporary construction of wood, covered with a *velarium* of canvas."

The following is taken from a description given by one who was present to the journal *Capitan Fracassa* of Rome: "It was about a quarter past nine when a friend proposed that we should go to the theatre. At the half-hour the curtain rose, but scarcely were the first words of the comedy spoken when we felt a tremendous shock, and I was thrown several feet forwards and fell headlong. Imagine, at the same time, a roaring noise like that of a heavy railway train rushing at full speed on to an iron bridge. While the shock lasted the ground rose and fell like the sea during a storm. What immediately followed I cannot tell; everything weighs upon me still like the night incubus, like a horrible dream. I remember only that we were a heap of human beings tumbled together; that the petroleum lamps had been thrown down and were setting fire to the seats; that for a moment we endeavoured to extinguish the fire, and then out we rushed in a torrent. I next remember holding on to the trunk of a tree, and, on casting my eyes upwards, I saw its branches were filled with human beings who had clambered up. Pieces of wood were piled together to light bonfires on the shore as a signal for help. I saw all round an indescribably strange crowd—women in their night attire only, old men in their dressing gowns, and naked children. During the night half-clothed women were rushing madly about like furies among the ruins, with torches in their hands, calling loudly for their dear ones. Every now and then a squalid, unknown figure, with eyes widely staring, would rush up to one, asking, 'Have you seen my husband?' 'Have you seen my son?'"

Other correspondents state that among those who have perished are many persons of note and distinction, who were spending the bathing season there, such as professor Palma, the Baroness di Riseis, Commander Zapputi, the wives and children of the Signori Cecere, Siciliani, Ali, and Martano, and it is also reported the Marchioness Pacca and Marchioness Laura.

Up to mid-day on July 29 the exploring parties had saved 1000 lives. They succeeded in extricating 24 persons still living from the ruins, and recovered 100 dead bodies. Five hundred and eighty-three injured persons had up to that evening been sent across the Channel to Naples, where the quays were crowded with people waiting for the steamers bringing the wounded, and as they arrived men in a long, mournful procession, with stretchers, carried them to the hospitals, and to the houses whose owners had charitably thrown them open to the sufferers. Others walked alongside, holding umbrellas to shield the poor wretches from the sun. Many of the injured died in the course of the short passage across—among them the Marquise Calabrese, of Rome.

The following are the names of the English visitors saved:—The Rev. Mr. Barff, wife, and one child; Miss Mora, Mrs. Dombre, Dr. Stoddart, and Colonel Mackenzie. Mrs. Green was rescued with her daughter from the ruins after two hours' digging, but her husband, a retired Indian Judge, was found dead.

Prince Giustiniani Badini and his son had a marvellous escape. The Prince is described as having been seated in a room in the hotel, playing cards with a circle of friends. His son was at the window, drawing a moonlight scene, when the table was suddenly overturned, and the falling lamp set fire to the carpet. At the same moment the Prince's son exclaimed, "An earthquake! save yourselves." When the second shock was felt the walls of the hotel rocked and opened, but the party managed to reach the door, and rushed outside the house, amidst clouds of sulphurous dust. They were appalled by what had happened, and remained amid the ruins until daybreak, and have since proceeded to Rome.

The scenes on the island are of a most heartrending description. In Casamicciola nothing is to be seen but an immense mass of ruins. In an angle there was found a poor old priest, of 70 years of age, with nothing on him but a shirt. He had escaped by a miracle, and entreated assistance. Near him a woman, with legs horribly fractured, was extended dead on the ground. It is calculated that at this point more than 200 are lying buried, and that beneath the hotels Pisani, Parisi, and Sentinella there are many more. A block of houses in a kind of open space between the Via del Bagni and the Piccola Sentinella, entirely inhabited by visitors, crumbled down in such a manner that not one escaped. There is not a building of any kind of which two walls are left standing. An entire family have been rescued alive from a cellar in which they had remained buried 36 hours. The identification of the bodies, in many cases impossible, has been most difficult, and especially as regards those of foreigners.

As fresh intelligence continues to be received from Casamicciola the catastrophe assumes a still more appalling character. Only five houses remain standing in the street near the sea, all the rest having fallen in. Among the foreigners who were taking the baths only those were saved who were in the theatre at the time of the earthquake. The villages of Forio and Lacco Ameno, near Casamicciola, are complete ruins. All the hotels were destroyed by the shock. Up to the present it is impossible to ascertain the names or the exact number of the victims. Most of the persons who have arrived from the island state that they were forced to pass the night in absolute darkness, without daring to move even to assist those who were buried under the ruins, but who were still alive and calling for help.

The Naples correspondent of the *Times* gives an account of some of the terrible incidents of the catastrophe. He writes on August 2:—"The Rev. Mr. Barff, British chaplain at Naples, has lost a son aged 13. Mr. Barff was staying with his wife, two sons, and daughter at the Grand Sentinella Hotel, but had himself left Casamicciola on Saturday morning to perform church service here. Only part of this hotel fell at the first shock, and the boy killed was carried down with the ruins. Mrs. Barff was sitting in the drawing-room, which remained uninjured. Her other son was out on the balcony, and her little daughter, who was in bed in the next room, had just time to escape into the drawing-room before the bedroom fell. All three were got down safely. Mr. A. Llewellyn Struve, from Wales, who was at the Piccola Sentinella, and playing, as I have before mentioned, Chopin's 'Funeral March,' was killed, together with his mother, Mrs. Louisa Price Struve. No traces of his body have been found, but a fearfully mutilated corpse, supposed from the marks on the stockings to be that of Mrs. Struve, has been recovered. The Mr. Green killed was a retired Indian Judge, who had recently gone for three weeks to the baths with his wife and son. He was standing in the middle of the concert-room on the ground-floor of the Piccola Sentinella when the two upper floors came crashing down into it. His wife and son, who were sitting with other persons close to one of the walls, had a marvellous escape. The floors fell in such a manner as to leave them buried, but uninjured, in a kind of cavity. A Signor and Signorina Segardi were also staying at the Piccola Sentinella at the same time, but it chanced that Signor Segardi had gone to Ischia that afternoon. Directly he heard the news of the catastrophe he hurried back across the island. He was stopped at Casamicciola by the cordon of sentries already placed around it. Desperate with anxiety about his sister, he called out that they might fire if they pleased, but pass he would, and pass he did, while they shouted that he was going to certain death. Clambering on in the dark over the ruins and calling aloud for his sister, Mrs. Green and those buried with her heard his voice out of the silence, and replied. Setting to work with feverish energy, he tore at the ruins until he had made a sufficient aperture to liberate the prisoners; but, alas, his sister was not one of the number, and her body has never been found.

"The others killed at the Piccola Sentinella were a Mrs. Robertson, her son and daughter, and a Mrs. Gall, of Dundee. Colonel Mackenzie had been lying with all the lower part of his body under the ruins of the Piccola Sentinella for seven hours when he was rescued, much bruised and shaken, but not otherwise injured. A Dr. Stodart was partly buried for some time in the Hotel Bellevue, but was got out uninjured. To these names may be added that of Miss Van Allan, of San Francisco, staying also at the Piccola Sentinella, who was rescued with her leg fractured.

"It is impossible even to attempt to describe the scene of ruin and desolation to which this town is reduced. The 100-ton guns of all the navies of Europe could not have produced such complete destruction as has befallen this place. There is nothing to be seen but heaps of ruins, which can only be likened to the work of the Titans occupied in throwing rubbish on one side and the other. At the moment I arrived here this morning, word was brought to the Minister of Public Works that voices had been heard on the highest point, where the ruin is the greatest. We hurried up, under a broiling sun. At a spot where a number of the engineer corps were working like heroes, we saw in a few minutes a lad of 18, Francesco Pisani by name, dragged out from beneath a heap of unrecognisable ruin like a second Lazarus. He said that a cousin of his was also there, alive, lying by the dead body of his father. The soldiers immediately recommenced their labours. After some time we heard the voice of the poor wretch, who might yet be crushed to death in the efforts to save him. Lumps of ice were passed through to him, and phenic acid was poured around the place. After eight hours' incessant work the man was got at. There he was, with his head and arms in sight, but his feet fast bound beneath a beam that had fallen upon him. Above was a mountain of ruin, and at any moment he might have been crushed to death. But finally at a quarter past 4 the beam was sawn through and the poor wretch was liberated, after having been, with his companion, buried five nights and four days. The emotion we all felt a few minutes ago, when he was drawn out, is more than I can describe."

Writing on August 6, the same correspondent says:—"The shock felt at half-past 2 in the afternoon of Friday, August 3, had more serious consequences than were immediately known. Several houses were damaged at Forio. In one, which partly fell, two women were buried, and in another a man; but all three were got out and sent by steamer to one of the hospitals at Naples, the women being seriously hurt. At Serrara Fontana a house gave way, and the brother of the Syndic, who was in it, seeing no other means of escape, jumped from the window and broke his leg. It is not believed that there are any others still living in the ruins, but the search, which was interrupted yesterday on account of the violent rain, was actively recommenced this morning. The bodies disinterred thus far number about 700, but the majority have been unrecognisable. At Casamicciola only 100 have been recognised, 40 of these being the bodies of visitors, and 60 of inhabitants of the place. At Lacco Ameno, where the dead were less crushed and disfigured, 128, all inhabitants of the town, have been identified. Of the injured admitted into the hospitals at Naples 18 have died and 90 have been discharged. The great majority of the houses and villas, and especially those situated at the Maddalena, are reduced to unrecognisable heaps of ruins—to great mounds of building refuse, but formed of fragments for the most part far too massive for any human hand to lift. Projecting from them are beams of wood, doors split in two, large fragments of boarded floors, household utensils, and smashed furniture. But among these utter wrecks, there are, here and there, great corners of houses, standing in perilous condition enough, but still erect, and in some of them the lower rooms are intact. On the portions of the upper floors remaining I saw chairs, washing-stands, and other articles of furniture. On one house were perched two ringdoves, with their wings closely folded, which must have belonged to the occupants. The balconies were smashed and their railings strangely twisted. Of Casamicciola and the other stricken localities there is but little more to tell. I left the island with a sad heart. There were no beggars, but many whose misery pleaded irresistibly. I shall never forget the voice in which a decently dressed woman, in reply to my question, said, 'Non ho più nessuno! Non ho più nessuno!'—all belonging to her had perished. Many of the survivors ramble about in an aimless way, and others have become insane. It is surprising how many old, decrepit men and women there are left."

NARROW GAUGE RAILWAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Some weeks ago you were kind enough to publish a letter of mine on narrow gauge railways.

Although you endeavoured to controvert the opinions I had expressed, still I felt flattered to see that you made them the subject of your leader of the 17th of July. Unfortunately, that very day I left for Northern Queensland, whence I only returned a few days ago, and this fact has prevented my replying until now to your leader.

The extension of railways to the utmost is one of the chief items in the programme of the present Government, and they are to be congratulated upon it. But it is not enough to make railways, they have to be constructed on a principle based upon the real requirements of the country they traverse, in order to obtain at once the best possible investment in return for the large outlay of capital required for the construction of new lines.

Up to the present, railways have been made and the country developed, but the loss of interest on the capital invested is perhaps as great as the capital itself. Therefore it should be deplored if the new railways were going to be constructed on the same erroneous principles, when there are cheaper railways to be adopted which would meet all the requirements.

I stated in my previous letter that it was impossible to construct cheap light railways on the broad gauge principle. I find the best proof of this, I think, precisely in the paragraph you republished from the Melbourne *Argus* referring to the line from Horsham to Dimboola, where £10,000 had to be spent shortly after the opening of the line. Had this line been properly constructed at first, it might have been a light railway, but never a cheap railway.

In the first paragraph of your leader I read: "Mr. Van de Velde is right in remarking that there is no novelty in narrow gauge railways; but there is no novelty in the arguments or the confidence with which he advocates them. The example of the Festiniog railway, to which he appeals, was appealed to by his predecessors at least a dozen years ago."

The confidence with which I advocate the principle of narrow gauge railways as feeders to the main lines in new districts, and also in cases of railways of local interest, is the consequence of the strong conviction I have arrived at, after having during a few years carefully studied the requirements of these colonies in that direction, and after a full consideration of the past history of Australian railways.

Twelve years ago it was not my good fortune to be your fellow-colonist, so I am not aware of the arguments which were used at that time by my predecessors. At any rate, it is not in the least surprising that they have appealed to the Festiniog railway, as it was, and is now, the best argument that can be opposed to the adversaries of narrow gauge railways when they contest the suitability of these railways for a public service of some importance.

The Festiniog railway has given for some years the wholesome return of £1900 per mile, the net profit of which reaches nearly £900 per mile, a result which all broad lines do not commonly obtain, especially in new countries like the Australian colonies. Then you add, "But it does not follow that the experience of a mountain line, constructed principally for a special kind of mineral traffic, throws much light upon the problem that we have to solve here, where we want to carry bales of wool across a flat country."

You will admit that the traffic carried on the Festiniog mountainous railway is very great—I dare say greater than that of any of our branch lines; 200,000 passengers per year and all sorts of goods are carried on it. There would not be any more difficulty to transport bales of wool than any other class of goods. If the Festiniog railway ran on a flat country like ours, it is evident that the traffic this system is capable of carrying would be still greater, for it can easily be understood that all the loss of power in gradients and curves would be avoided, and each locomotive would be capable of drawing so much more weight. That is perfectly clear.

In another paragraph of your leader you state that "the difference of cost between a narrow gauge and a broad gauge railway depends in a large measure upon the nature of the country traversed; . . . . but when there is little more to be done than to lay the rails on the surface level of a plain country, it is not a matter of very great moment to be able to save a couple of feet in the length of the sleepers."

Of course if these two feet in the length of the sleepers were the only advantage to be gained by the adoption of narrow gauge railways in a flat country, the subject would not be worth while discussing, but fortunately the advantages to be gained are a little greater, as I am going to endeavour to show.

With broad gauge railways, owing to the great weight of the rolling stock, the rails are bound to be heavy too, and as extreme limit of lightness I may mention rails of about 50lb. per yard. The adoption of the narrow gauge allows the use of light rails, of a weight proportional to the requirements of the traffic. In most of our new districts where railways have to be constructed steel rails of from 18lb. to 24lb. would be quite sufficient. The quantity of ballast required is also reduced in a considerable extent—say in the proportion of four to one.

Next comes the saving in the construction of stations, where no platforms are required, owing to the carriages being so low and so near the rails. In consequence the savings derived from the adoption of a narrow gauge railway are as follow:—2½ feet on the length of the sleepers, 50 per cent. or more on the weight of the rails, 75 per cent. on the ballast, and doing away with platforms in stations. The above refers only to savings to be realised on the permanent way.

Your article goes on to state that "advocates for narrow gauge railways, however, do not rest their case upon the saving to be made in the construction of the line only. They contend that the rolling stock for narrow lines can be made of equal strength whilst using lighter material. Hence they say that there is a saving in the cost of rolling stock, and when the traffic is small the proportion of dead weight to paying loads will be diminished." All this is perfectly correct, with the exception that the proportion of dead weight to paying loads will be diminished not only where the traffic is small, but also where it is great. After this you say—"But one thing is clear; if the carrying capacity of each truck or carriage is to be lessened, the number of trucks or carriages employed to convey a given load must be increased, or a greater number of trips must be made for its conveyance. The reduction in capacity may therefore involve an increase of cost for haulage."

Supposing there should be an increase in the cost of haulage, when the traffic of these lines has reached the maximum it is capable of, that day it will pay to lay down a heavier rail and to use heavier locomotives capable of drawing more weight. The same result might be obtained by running the trains at a smaller speed, and so increase the traction power of the locomotives. The same thing has been done on the Festiniog, where the first rails laid down were only of 14lb. per yard, and where they now use rails of 48lb., and run on them with Fairleigh's locomotives of 30 tons weight at a speed between stations of 35 miles per hour, always on the two-feet gauge.

You also state that "as long as money is cheap and we can afford to construct our lines with a view to future requirements, it may be the truest economy to look ahead instead of following a temporary and makeshift policy."

I must say I fail to see a makeshift policy in the fact of constructing railways which would meet all requirements, especially when I consider that the money invested in large gauge railways (for which there is no traffic, and which in many cases will be worn out before they pay interest) could construct two or three times more narrow gauge railways, and develop the resources of the country so much faster.

This, I think, is the only wise policy.

The principle of constructing narrow gauge railways is gaining ground every day. During the last five or six years narrow gauge railways have been constructed in nearly every country in the world, either by the Governments or private companies, and sooner or later they will have to be adopted by the Governments of these colonies—the sooner the better in the interest of the ratepayers. I am, &c.,

CLEMENT VAN DE VELDE.

Royle's-chambers, Sydney, Sept. 13.

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DUTY ON STEARINE.

The Hon. Colonial Treasurer, having received various notices of demands for refunds of duties imposed upon different articles of the tariff, which duties have been collected under the powers given by the 133rd section of the Customs Regulation Act—which section has been recently declared by the Supreme Court to be *ultra vires* of the legislative authority of the Parliament of this colony—has forwarded for publication the opinion of the Hon. Attorney-General on the course to be pursued by the Government concerning the decision lately given. We have been given to understand that the Crown Solicitor has been instructed in each case to accept service, and that the necessary steps are now being taken to prosecute an appeal before the Privy Council. The following is the opinion of the Hon. the Attorney-General on steps to be taken concerning the judgment of the Supreme Court, *in re* the Apollo Candle Company v. Powell:—

"My colleague, the Finance Minister, has requested me to furnish him with advice concerning this case (in which the demurrer to the plea of the defendant has been sustained by the Supreme Court), with the view of submitting a minute to the Cabinet, accompanied by my opinion, for the purpose of regulating the conduct of the Government. I was not unprepared for this reference, as the judgment is one of the very greatest importance, and while it materially affects the resources and the executive action of the Government, directly limits also the legislative authority of Parliament. The importance indeed of this judgment is only to be measured by a serious consideration of its circumstances. For the first time, as I believe, since the passing of the Constitution Act, a portion of an Act of our Legislature has been declared by the Supreme Court to be *ultra vires*. This latter Act was assented to so far back as the 14th May, 1879, and its provisions appear to have been then regarded as so perfectly unobjectionable that neither in the Legislature nor elsewhere was any exception taken to it, or indeed attention called to the ground upon which this judgment is based. The then Attorney-General did not only fail to perceive this defect, but did not at the time deem it necessary to advise the Governor that he should suspend the operation of the Act for the signification of her Majesty's pleasure thereupon, in accordance with the 10th section of his Excellency's instructions. The Act itself is one which is being daily employed in regulating innumerable commercial transactions; and the particular provision which is now practically declared to be illegal has been again and again used to accomplish the object of its insertion in the Act, which was to defeat ingenious frauds upon the revenue; and apart from the serious question opened up by the declaration of the illegality of all past proceedings of the Government which have been founded upon this section, it is obvious that the Customs revenue may be subjected at any time to serious and multiform frauds at the hands of designing and unprincipled persons who may employ themselves in the manufacture of articles of merchandise as substitutes for known dutiable articles with the intention of evading duty. These considerations are abundantly sufficient to establish the very great importance of this judgment and its relations to the commercial classes and to the Government. It is quite impossible to have any strict and effective and constant supervision of these fraudulent proceedings, except by means of executive authority. It is out of the question to suppose that Parliament could be perpetually asked to interfere to declare each new form of evasion of duty a dutiable article; and yet if this power can be given to no one else, it is impossible to meet and detect dangerous attempts to defraud the revenue. In order to have a clear understanding of the whole subject from the point of view of the Collector of Customs, I have obtained from that officer the following memorandum:—'The 133 section of the Customs Regulation Act has been of great value in the just collection of duties imposed by the tariff. Without this clause, and by a literal reading of items chargeable with duty as imposed by Parliament, the purposes and intentions of such taxation might be evaded by misdescription of entry or by disguising the articles. The effect of the clause has been to impose a check, and the advantage of that check will become speedily apparent if its action is withdrawn. The amount of Customs duty saved by the operation of the clause is negative in character, but we have daily illustrations of its value; and even though so short a time has elapsed since doubt has been thrown on the validity of the clause in question, I have been threatened with claims for the refund of duties charged (I think fairly) under its provisions. I give a few of the items under which the 133rd section has been made to apply:—Acid, acetic, as opposing duty on vinegar; beer, condensed, ditto on beer; benzine, ditto on turpentine; japans (various), ditto on varnish; candy, ditto on sugar; cartridges containing shot, ditto on shot; cartridges containing powder, ditto on powder; casements, ditto on sashes; castorine, ditto on castor oil; chicory root, ditto on chicory; chillies, ground, ditto on spices; chocolate creams, ditto on confectionery; chocolate sticks, ditto on chocolate; chromes, ditto on paints; cigarettes, ditto on cigars; fruits, canned, ditto on preserves. I will not risk becoming wearisome by continuing this list, which I am sure might be extended to more than 200 separate articles to which frequent additions are made.' I say nothing now of what is involved in the judgment as to the limitation of the authority of Parliament, though that is a consideration of the gravest character. In my opinion (which I give with all possible respect for the tribunal which has pronounced this judgment) the power conferred by the section of the Customs Regulation Act is not that of authorising the imposition of duties never contemplated by the Legislature; but of enforcing the payment of duties which were actually in contemplation of the Legislature. It simply supplies a machinery (the only one indeed by which the object could be attained) of effectuating that which the Legislature intended, and preventing by the only means by which it could be effected the evasion of such intention. The sole foundation of the authority is to be found in the fraudulent substitution of the article for a known dutiable article, which substituted article must possess either wholly or partly the properties of the dutiable article. The power given is strictly limited to such cases as this, and does not go in any way beyond what the Legislature manifestly intended to accomplish. In considering this power, I would remark that, although in the interpretation of statutes which impose pecuniary burdens it is said that they are subject to the rule of strict construction, they are not to be so construed as to furnish a chance of escape and a means of evasion. 'In America,' says Sir Peter Maxwell, in his book on the Interpretation of Statutes, p. 261, 'revenue laws are not regarded as penal laws in the sense that requires them to be construed with great strictness in favour of the defendant. They are regarded rather in their remedial character; as intended to prevent fraud, suppress public wrong, and promote the public good; and are so construed as to most effectually accomplish these objects.' Any such rule of construction applied to this statute would have favoured the construction of this section as a provision for the public protection rather than as conferring a power for the imposition of duties not within the contemplation of the Legislature. The foundation of the judgment by which the demurrer was sustained was to be found in regarding the Legislature as not having of itself the inherent powers of the Imperial Parliament, but being the depository simply of delegated powers, which it was unable by any act of its own to delegate to any other authority. By section 1 of the Constitution Act the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of the Colony have power to make laws for the peace, welfare, and good government of the Colony in all cases whatsoever. No language could convey, and no Legislature could possess, more absolutely complete powers. And it is known that it was the intention of the Imperial Government to grant such powers at the time they were conferred. By section 45 the absolute power is given to the Legislature to impose and levy such duties and customs as to it may seem just. With regard to the question of the exercise of delegated authority, I am of opinion that in this case the Parliament was not limited in its exercise of the power which it has been denied to possess. Its power, so far as this special purpose was concerned, was not in any way circumscribed by its derivation of that power from the Imperial Government. In the case of the Queen v. Burah (Law Rep. Eng. and Ir. App. Cases, vol. 8, pt. 2, pp. 889-907), Lord Selborne, in speaking of the erroneous doctrine of the High Court at Bengal on appeal from a judgment of a full bench of that Court in March, 1877, and of its mistaken view of the powers of the Indian Legislature, and indeed of the nature and principles of legislation, said:—'But their lordships are of opinion that the doctrine of the majority of the Court is erroneous, and that it rests upon a mistaken view of the powers of the Indian Legislature, and indeed of the nature and principles of legislation. The Indian Legislature has powers expressly limited by the Act of the Imperial Parliament which created it, and it can of course do nothing beyond the limits which circumscribe these powers. But when acting within these limits it is not in any sense an agent or delegate of the Imperial Parliament, but has, and was intended to have, plenary powers of legislation as large and of the same nature as those of Parliament itself. The established Courts of Justice, when a question arises whether the prescribed limits have been exceeded, must of necessity determine that question, and the only way in which they can properly do so is by looking to the terms of the instrument by which affirmatively the legislative powers were created, and by which negatively they are restricted. If what has been done is legislation within the general scope of the affirmative words which gave the power, and if it violates no express condition or restriction by which that power is limited (in which category would, of course, be included any Act of the Imperial Parliament at variance with it), it is not for any Court of Justice to inquire further, or to enlarge constructively those conditions and restrictions.' If such language as this can be applied to the Indian Legislature, it can be held that such a body, acting within the limits of its authority, can in no sense be regarded as a delegate of the Imperial Parliament, but as a body intended to have plenary powers of legislation as large, and of the same nature, as those of the Imperial Parliament, what shall be said of a practical denial of these powers to a colony possessing the fullest powers of self-government—whose institutions were, as the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies pointed out in his despatch in 1856, accompanying the transmission of the Constitution Act, designedly assimilated to those of the mother country. In the Indian case, a notification by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, extending the provisions of an Act of the Council of the Governor-General of India to a certain Indian territory, and which withdrew such territory from the jurisdiction which the High Court had previously possessed, was declared to be illegal, because, as was affirmed, the Council had no power to delegate such authority to the Lieutenant-Governor. It was contended that this proceeding was the creation of a new legislative authority not contemplated by the Council's Act: just as it was here contended and determined that in this provision of the Customs Regulation Act a new power was created for the imposition of duties in giving authority to prevent the fraudulent evasion of those which had been imposed by Parliament. In the case now before me the reasons of Lord Selborne may, it seems to me, be equally applied to our circumstances. No new legislative power has been created or authorised. Parliament has determined in the ordinary course of legislation to provide that its intentions shall not be defeated, nor the Customs revenue be defrauded by certain means; and it has provided in the due and ordinary course of legislation that certain steps should be taken under certain conditions to accomplish its object. In the Indian case, as it seems to me, a much larger quasi legislative authority was delegated to the Lieutenant-Governor, when laws might or might not be applied at his discretion to various parts of the country, which laws were in force by proper legislative authority in all the territories of his government. There the question was not whether the revenue should be protected by the action of the Governor, but whether the jurisdiction of the High Court of Bengal should be limited by his authority. It was there pointed out that it would be a serious thing to interfere with the exercise of such delegated authority, as being *ultra vires* the legislative authority to confer. The seriousness of this interference is assuredly not less when it practically defeats the operation of a provision exclusively intended to prevent fraud, and which seems to be one of the only means by which this object can be attained. This Act, I am of opinion, dealt with a subject fairly within the scope of the legislative authority of Parliament; but had there been a doubt of this circumstance the interpretation of the Act should have, for important public purposes, favoured its constitutional correctness. In one of the first books of authority on the subject (the American work of Mr. Sedgwick on the Interpretation and Construction of Statutes and Constitutional Law, and I may remark in passing that numerous references to American authorities in the New York and Pennsylvania reports were made in the argument before the Privy Council in the Queen v. Burah) it is said:—'The leading rule in regard to the judicial construction of constitutional provisions is a wise and sound one, which declares that in cases of doubt every possible presumption and intendment will be made in favour of the constitutionality of the Act in question, and that the Courts will only interfere in cases of clear and unquestioned violation of the fundamental law.' I am quite unable to perceive that in this provision in the Customs Revenue Act there is anything which is not strictly within the scope of legislative authority; and on as exhaustive a view of all the circumstances of this case as I am able to give it, considering its supreme importance as affecting the powers of Parliament, the collection of revenue, the doubt thrown on the legality of numberless past transactions with the Government, and the impossibility of dispensing with some such power as it is provided for in this Statute for the protection of Customs revenue, I am of opinion that steps should be immediately taken to appeal from this judgment to the Privy Council, and the Crown Solicitor will be good enough to take the necessary steps without delay. WILLIAM BEDE DALLEY, Attorney-General. Crown Law Offices, September 1, 1883.

It can perhaps be arranged that the various actions now being brought against the Collector can be consolidated. If this is done, the sum will be considerably above the appealable amount; and such consolidation will be considered as made prior to judgment, so as to enable the appeal to be made in the ordinary way. This will obviate the necessity of a direct application to the Privy Council for leave to appeal, which otherwise must be made, as the matter is too important to be allowed to remain undetermined by the highest judicial authority. W. B. D. September 3, 1883."

"Memorandum to be attached to the foregoing.

"One of the learned Judges, according to the brief report of the judgment in the papers, is stated to have said that he based his conclusion on the legal maxim that a delegated authority cannot be redelegated—*Delegata potestas non potest delegari*. I think a little reflection will show that no legal foundation exists for the application of this maxim to an interpretation of the powers exercisable under our Constitution Act; and I have looked in vain for any illustration of the authoritative application of the maxim in any case where it has been a question of a colonial Legislature or Government alleged to have acted *ultra vires* of its legislative authority. So far from the course of colonial Legislative action having been regulated by the observance of such a maxim, it would not, I think, be difficult to establish that it has been, in the interpretation of constitutional questions, affecting the powers of colonial legislatures, never adverted to. Referring to a joint opinion of the Attorney and Solicitor Generals of England, in 1851 (Sir A. E. Cockburn and Sir Richard Bethell), to whom was referred the legality of an ordinance of the Legislature of the Island of St. Helena, conferring on an alien power to hold and transfer land within the colony of St. Helena, such legislation was held to be lawful. There are no suggestions in the opinion about the impossibility of the redelegation of a delegated authority, and the extension of the powers of the Legislature beyond the strict limits of its authority. (Forsyth's Cases and Opinions on Constitutional Law, pp. 11 and 12.) And it will be, I think, impossible to find a single case where the maxim has been quoted, not merely in justification of any judicial conclusion, but even by way of argument in any matter of constitutional law. And the reason I think is obvious. It cannot, in the classification of legal maxims, belong in any way to such questions. There are rules of public and of legislative policy, rules relating to the Crown, to the administration of public justice, to the transfer of property, and to the law of contracts. The maxim in question has, as far as I am aware, no bearing whatever upon any question of constitutional law that can possibly arise. It is one of the rules having a direct and important bearing upon the law of contract, and is constantly and exclusively applied among the maxims which regulate and adjust the infinitely varied and complicated transactions of a mercantile community. It depends altogether on the existence of the relation of principal and agent in transactions founded upon a contract; and is employed in limiting the operation of the maxim, *Qui facit per alium facit per se*. It involves the non-perpetuity of the vicarious relationship, as it is indeed otherwise expressed *vicarius non habet vicarium*. It is intended for the protection of the source of the authority, in the exercise of a limited power which it concedes, and to prevent any discretional enlargement of such authority by the party to whom it is entrusted for his exclusive personal exercise. In what way can this maxim be applied in restraint of plenary powers of government, which can, indeed, only be exercised by infinitely varied forms of delegation of all kinds of authority? The maxim which prevents a broker, selected for the confidence entertained in his skill and integrity, from turning his principal over to another of whom the principal knows nothing, by transferring consignments made to such broker, in his character, to another broker, for sale, surely can have no application to the case of a Legislature, with absolutely complete powers providing for any delegation of authority which it may be deemed essential for purposes of good government to make. There is no relation whatever of principal and agent between the Imperial and Colonial Governments in questions of legislation. Our powers of self-government are, as far as this country is concerned, precisely those of the Imperial Legislature itself. We are in no way accountable to the Imperial Parliament for our proceedings, and can in no way be influenced by their action in our course of legislation. If the relationship to which the maxim applies had any kind of existence in our constitutional relations with the mother country, we should require the sanction of the Imperial Legislature to the far larger part of our legislative business. We should have to pause in the ordinary transaction of the daily business of government, and consider whether we were acting within the limits of legislative authority. It is not in this way that Lord Selborne, in the Queen v. Burah, to which I have already referred in my opinion for the guidance of the Treasurer, regarded the efficacy of such acts. 'Their Lordships,' he says, 'think that it is a fallacy to speak of the powers thus conferred upon the Lieutenant-Governor (large as they undoubtedly are) as if, when they were exercised, the efficacy of the acts done under them would be due to any other legislative authority than that of the Governor-General in Council. The whole operation is, directly and immediately, under and by virtue of this Act (22, of 1869) itself. The proper Legislature has exercised its judgment as to place, person, laws, powers; and the result of that judgment has been to legislate conditionally as to all these things. The conditions having been fulfilled, the legislation is now absolute. Where plenary powers of legislation exist as to particular subjects, whether in an imperial or in a provincial Legislature, they may (in their Lordships' judgment) be well exercised, either absolutely or conditionally. Legislation, conditional on the use of particular powers, or on the exercise of a limited discretion, entrusted by the Legislature to persons, in whom it places confidence, is no uncommon thing; and, in many circumstances, it may be highly convenient. The British Statute Book abounds with examples of it, and it cannot be supposed that the Imperial Parliament did not, when constituting the Indian Legislature, contemplate this kind of conditional legislation as within the scope of the legislative powers which it from time to time conferred. It certainly used no words to exclude it.' It cannot be presumed that the Imperial Parliament did not intend, when creating our Parliament and bestowing upon it the fullest powers of taxation, to concede the power also of preventing, by any means which we might devise, the fraudulent evasion of our imposts. It was not in any way a delegation of their authority; it was a creation of an independent authority in us, which we were to exercise in the interests of the people of this country—not in those of the Imperial Parliament. Our Legislature is not in any possible way the agent of any authority, but in itself a plenary independent legislative authority, and not being in relation to any principal, it has no delegated authority whatever in matters of taxation. W. B. D., A.G. 6-9-83."

WEST AFRICA AND THE CONGO.—At a meeting of the Balloon Society of Great Britain, Dr. C. W. Lacy Evans, late surgeon of the Gold Coast, delivered a lecture on "West Africa and the Congo." Dr. Evans gave a history of the Ashantees, Dahomans, and other tribes from Sierra Leone to Angola, and of the achievements from Zanzibar, on the east coast, and from the mouth of the Congo, on the west, to Lake Tanganyika, in Central Africa. He stated that the African International Association, under the presidency of the King of the Belgians, had done good work in establishing stations from Zanzibar to Lake Tanganyika on the one side, as had Stanley's exploration on the other. After urging the neutralisation of the Congo, he contended that by protecting the Fantees we made a great mistake, and that it would have been far better to make a treaty with the Ashantees, as by that means we should have avoided the Ashantee war and the interior of Africa would be opened up for trade.—*English paper*.

TIMBERS FOR CALCUTTA.

The following are particulars of a collection of timbers procured for the Calcutta Exhibition Commission by the forest rangers under the Department of Mines. The collection, which is to be forwarded to the Calcutta Exhibition, includes 115 specimens of New South Wales timbers. The work of suitably preparing them for exhibition the department entrusted to Messrs. John Taylor and Co., timber merchants, of Sussex-street. Some are in their natural state and still retain their bark, but in many instances the surfaces are polished, and there are also specimens of various woods turned and planed into articles of commerce so that every opportunity has been taken to show not only their nature, but also their value. In addition to the timbers the collection comprises specimens of leaves and seeds of indigenous trees. The list will be useful as giving in a concise form the common and botanical names, the uses, the hardness and density, and the habitats of our timbers, and it is therefore likely to be useful for reference, especially as it also describes the leaves of the trees which are eaten by stock:—

Red Gum (Eucalyptus rostrata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber highly valued for strength and durability, especially for piles and posts in damp ground; used also for ship-building, railway sleepers, bridges, wharves, and numerous other purposes. H. 60-80; D. 6-8. Habitat—River banks and flats subject to inundation; Murray River and other southern districts.

Red Gum (Eucalyptus rostrata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Same as preceding species.

Spotted Gum (Eucalyptus maculata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ). Timber used in ship-building, for bridges, girders, naves of wheels, cart and buggy shafts, cubes for street-paving, staves, shingles, and general building purposes requiring a strong, close-grained, and durable timber. H. 100-150; D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

Mahogany (Eucalyptus resinifera. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber strong and durable; used for ships' knees, shingles, posts, and general building purposes; not liable to shrink, and lasting underground. H. 80-120; D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

Red Ironbark (Eucalyptus leucoxylon. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber tough, strong, hard, heavy, and durable; largely used for railway works, bridges, piles for wharves, girders, wheelwrights' work, rails, shingles, &c. H. 80-100; D. 3-4. Habitat—Interior and southern districts.

Grey Ironbark (Eucalyptus crebra. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber similar in quality, and used for same purpose as red ironbark. H. 80-100; D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern and southern districts.

Honeysuckle (Banksia integrifolia. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber rough; used for knees of boats, bullock-yokes, &c. H. 30-40; D. 1-2. Habitat—Sandy beaches, northern, southern, and western districts.

Redwood or [illegible] (Eucalyptus [illegible]. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber durable, known to have kept sound in wet soil for forty years; used for posts, shingles, house-building, &c. H. 50-100; D. 2-3. Habitat—Southern and western districts.

Mangrove (Avicennia officinalis. Ord.—Verbenaceæ).—Timber used for boatbuilding, bullock yokes, mallets, &c., and burnt for its ash, which is used in soapmaking; leaves eaten by cattle, and considered very nutritious. H. 12-20; D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—In salt water estuaries, extending along the Australian sea coast.

Mountain Ash (Eucalyptus virgata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber splits freely, and is used for shingles, palings, rails, and house-building. H. 50-100; D. 2-3. Habitat—On high mountains and on the sea coast, southern and western districts.

Sassafras (Doryphora sassafras. Ord.—Monimiaceæ.—Timber fragrant, and disagreeable to all kinds of vermin, soft and weak; used for lining inside of houses, furniture, &c.; bark contains a medicinal property, which is valued as a tonic. H. 60-80; D. 1½-2. Habitat—Brush forests, northern, southern, and western districts.

Blackwood or black Sally (Acacia melanoxylon. Ord.—Leguminosæ.—Timber dark-coloured, hard and close-grained, much valued for furniture, picture frames, cabinet work, fencing, bridges, &c. H. 40-60. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Southern and western districts.

Red Gum (Eucalyptus rostrata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber close-grained and durable, almost as hard as iron when dry; used for housebuilding, machinery, railway-sleepers, bridges, &c. H. 100-150. D. 3-6. Habitat—Rich soil on river banks and flats, southern districts.

Bloodwood (Eucalyptus corymbosa. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber durable, used for posts, piles rails, &c., very durable underground in damp situations. H. 80-100. D. 2-4. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

Hickory (Acacia sp.? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber, tough, used for tool-handles, mallets, &c. H. 50-60. D. 12-15 inches. Habitat—Brush gullies, southern coast district.

Woolybutt (Eucalyptus longifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for felloes, shafts, spokes, agricultural implements, house-building, &c. H. 100-180. D. 3-4. Habitat—Rich alluvial flats along river banks, southern and other districts.

Messmate (Eucalyptus obliqua. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber splits freely, and is used for house-building, fencing, &c. H. 100-150. D. 3-4. Habitat—Southern coast districts.

Mountain Gum (Eucalyptus sp.? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber very tough, and said to be the most durable and best timber in the Braidwood district; used for bridges, girders, planking, wheelwrights' work, &c. H. 100—150. D. 2-3. Habitat—On mountains, southern coast districts.

Beech or Swamp Mahogany (Tristania suaveolens. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for buggy and coach-frames, tool-handles, mallets, &c. H. 50—60. D. 12-18 inches. Habitat—Moist situation, northern and southern brush forests.

Stringy-bark thin brown bark (Eucalyptus sp.? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for palings, rails, shingles, and general building purposes. Bark used for roofing houses and sheds. H. 50-60. D. 15-18 inches. Habitat—Poor stony ridges, southern coast districts.

Stringy-bark, thick white bark (Eucalyptus sp.? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber similar in quality and used for same purposes as the preceding species. H. 50-60. D. 15-18 inches. Habitat—Poor stony ridges, southern coast districts.

Scrub Myrtle (Backhousia myrtifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, tough, and close-grained; used for tool-handles, mallets, &c. H. 20-30. D. 9 inches 1 foot. Habitat—Damp places, northern, southern, and western districts.

Blackbutt (Eucalyptus pilularis. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber strong and durable; much valued, and extensively used in house carpentry, bridge planking, ships' decks, cubes, &c. H. 100-150. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

White Box (Eucalyptus sp.? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber tough and durable; used for making harrows, ploughs, dray poles and bodies, &c. H. 90-100. D. 2-3. Habitat—On rich open forest land near the sea, southern coast districts.

Beefwood (Stenocarpus salignus. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber red-coloured; used for making furniture, picture-frames, walking-sticks, veneering, fancy, and coopers' work. H. 40-80. D. 1-2. Habitat—Brush forests, southern and northern districts.

Coachwood or lightwood (Ceratopetalum apetalum. Ord.—Saxifragaceæ).—Timber fragrant, light, soft, tough, and close-grained; used for joiners' and cabinet work, boat and coach building, tool-handles, &c. H. 5-70. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Brush forests, northern and southern coast districts.

Round-leaved Box (Eucalyptus sp? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, heavy, close-grained, and durable; used for making harrows, ploughs, bridges, &c. H. 50-60. D. 1½-2. Habitat—On open forest ridges, southern coast districts.

Ribbon or Bastard Box (Eucalyptus tereticornis. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber heavy and close-grained; used for bridge and house-building, ship-building, ploughbeams, wheelwrights' work, &c. H. 50-80. D. 2-3. Habitat—Open forest ridges, northern and southern coast districts.

She Ironbark (Eucalyptus paniculata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Used for railway works, such as bridges, sleepers, carriages, &c.; timber very durable. H. 100-150. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern and other districts.

Red Ironbark (Eucalyptus leucoxylon. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for similar purposes to the preceding species; hard and durable. H. 80-100. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern and other districts, common.

White Ironbark (Eucalyptus crebra. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for railway and other works; is hard, tough, and durable. H. 100-150. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern and other districts.

Grey Gum (Eucalyptus saligna. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard and durable; excellent for railway sleepers and other purposes. H. 100-150. D. 3-5. Habitat—Northern coast districts.

Tallow-wood (Eucalyptus microcorys. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber used for flooring and other building purposes requiring strength and durability; wood, as local name implies, of a greasy nature. H. 100-150. D. 3-6. Habitat—Northern coast districts.

Water Gum, small-leaved (Tristania neriifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, cross-grained, and durable; used for axe and other handles, cogs of wheels, &c. H. 80-100. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

Broad-leaved Apple-tree (Angophora intermedia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber subject to gum-veins; used for naves and spokes of wheels, blocks, &c. H. 80-100. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern and southern districts.

Black Stavewood (Tarrietia actinodendron. Ord.—Sterculiaceæ).—Timber strong and cross-grained; used for staves and building purposes. H. 70-80. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Turpentine (Syncarpia laurifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—One of the most valuable known timbers for piles in salt or fresh water, as it is proof against the Teredo insect; used also for sleepers, shipbuilding, and other purposes requiring a strong and durable timber. H. 150-180. D. 4-5. Habitat—Brush and open forest country, nearly throughout the colony.

Maiden's Blush (Sloanea Australis. Ord.—Tiliaceæ).—Timber soft and durable, used for cabinet and ornamental purposes. H. 80-100. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern and southern coast districts.

Coachwood or Lightwood (Ceratopetalum apetalum. Ord.—Saxifragaceæ).—Timber soft, tough, and durable; emitting an agreeable fragrance; used for coach-building, staves, and cabinet-work. H. 100-150. D. 2-4. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Flooded Gum (Eucalyptus rostrata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—An excellent durable timber, used for shipbuilding, flooring-boards, weatherboards, and building purposes generally. H. 100-150. D. 3-4. Habitat—Margin of brush forests and damp places, Northern and southern districts.

Brush Bastard or White Box (Tristania conferta. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber strong, hard, and durable; used in the construction of wharfs and bridges, and for shipbuilding, &c. Much valued as an ornamental shade tree. H. 100-150. D. 3-5. Habitat—Common in brush forests in northern and southern districts.

Large-leaved Water Gum (Eugenia ventenatii. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber close-grained, hard, heavy, tough, and beautifully marked; used for tool handles, poles of drays, ribs of boats, &c. H. 40-60. D. 2-3. Habitat—Banks of watercourses, Northern brush forests.

Black Myrtle (Cargillia pentamera. Ord.—Ebenaceæ).—Timber close-grained, tough, and durable. H. 80-100. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Swamp Oak (Casuarina quadrivalvis. Ord.—Casuarineæ).—Timber used for shingles and staves. H. 50-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Southern and western districts, on banks of creeks and marshy places.

White or Broad-leaved Tea-tree (Melaleuca leucodendron. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber exceedingly hard, heavy, and close-grained; said to be almost imperishable underground in moist places, used for piles, posts, ship-building, &c. H. 40-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Marshy places in northern and southern coast districts.

Lignum Vitæ (Myrtus acmenoides. Ord.—Myrtaceæ.)—Timber very hard, durable, and tough; used by coach-builders, &c. H. 60-70. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Brush Cherry (Eugenia myrtifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber elastic; used for staves, oars, boat-building, &c. Fruit edible, acid, makes a good preserve. H. 50-80. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Brush forests, northern and southern districts.

Forest Oak (Casuarina torulosa. Ord.—Casuarineæ).—Timber used for shingles and cabinet-work. H. 60-80. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Common on open forest ridges, northern, southern, and western districts.

Yellow-wood (Flindersia oxleyana. Ord.—Meliaceæ).—Timber yellow when fresh, hard, and used for cabinet purposes. H. 60-80. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern coast districts.

Forest Oak (Casuarina torulosa. Ord.—Casuarineæ).—Timber used for shingles and cabinet-work. H. 60-80. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Common on open forest ridges, Northern, southern, and western districts.

Coachwood or Lightwood (Ceratopetalum apetalum. Ord.—Saxifragaceæ).—Timber fragrant, soft, close-grained and tough; used for cabinet and joiners' work, coachbuilding, &c. H. 100-150. D. 2-2½. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Red Ash (Orites excelsa. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber used for shingles, farm implements, and various purposes; it is hard and durable. H. 70-80. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern and southern brush forests.

Broad, Tong-leaved Water Gum. (Tristania laurina. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, tough, and close-grained; used for tool-handles cogs of wheels, &c. H. 50-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Banks of creeks, in shady places, northern coast districts.

Brush Cherry (Eugenia myrtifolia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Same as brush cherry already described.

Beech, or White Beech (Gmelina leichhardtii. Ord.—Verbenaceæ).—Timber much valued for flooring boards and ships' decks, &c.; silvery white, and not liable to shrink. H. 100-150. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Swamp Mahogany (Eucalyptus robusta. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber much valued for shingles, wheelwrights' work, shipbuilding, and building purposes generally. H. 100-150. D. 2-4. Habitat—Swampy places in northern, southern, and western districts.

Black Ironbark (Eucalyptus sp.? Ord.—Myrtaceæ.)—Timber used for girders, beams, and railway works; said to be a rare, distinct species, only recently discovered. H. 150-170. D. 2-3. Habitat—On the margin of and in the brush forests.

Prickly-leaved Teatree (Melaleuca styphelioides. Ord.—Myrtaceæ.)—Timber very hard, heavy, and close-grained; excellent for posts in damp situations, piles, &c., and said never to be known to decay. H. 50-80. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Damp situations, northern districts.

Red Cedar (Cedrela australis. Ord.—Meliaceæ).—One of the most useful and valuable timbers known, being very durable, easily worked, and most excellent for furniture and all descriptions of ornamental indoor work. H. 150-180. D. 4-8. Habitat—Chiefly confined to the gorges and eastern slopes of the Northern coast ranges.

White Cedar (Melia australis. Ord.—Meliaceæ).—Timber soft, not durable, easily worked, and sometimes used for shingles; flowers fragrant, a good deciduous shade tree. H. 50-80. D. 3-4. Habitat—Moist places in the Northern brush forests chiefly.

Golden Green Wattle (Acacia, sp.? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber sometimes used for axe-handles, &c.; the bark very valuable and in great demand for tanning purposes. H. 50-70. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Rich moist flats, Northern coast district.

Mountain Ash. (Genus? Ord.—Sapindaceæ).—Timber excellent for staves, oars, wheels, tool-handles, and for boat and house building purposes; very durable, free from knots, and straight grained. H. 150-200. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Yellow Cedar. Rhus rhodanthema. Ord.—Anacardiaceæ).—Timber yellow when fresh, close-grained, and useful for various purposes. H. 70-80. D. 2-3. Habitat—Brush forests, northern districts.

Hoop, Moreton Bay or Colonial Pine (Araucaria Cunninghamii. Ord.—Coniferæ).—Timber, white, easily worked, decays rapidly if exposed; used chiefly for indoor work. The pine from the mountains is preferred to that grown on the lowlands near the coast. H. 100-150. D. 4-5. Habitat—Mountains and brush forests, northern districts.

Laurel or White Sycamore (Sterculia discolor. Ord.—Sterculiaceæ).—Timber said to be good, but rarely used. H. 30-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Forest brushes, Clarence and other Northern districts.

Light Yellow-wood (Genus?).—Timber not used, but considered suitable for fancy purposes. H. 30-40. D. 1-2. Habitat—Brush forests, Clarence district.

Native Tamarind (Diploglottis Cunninghamii. Ord.—Sapindaceæ).—Timber close-grained, durable; not used, but suitable for various purposes. Fruit edible. H. 40-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Brush forests, northern and southern districts.

Pencil Cedar (Sloanea Woollsii. Ord.—Tiliaceæ).—Timber used for lining houses, &c. H. 40-60. D. 1-2. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Beefwood (Stenocarpus salignus. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber red-coloured, hard, close-grained, and easily split; used for veneering, cooper's work, fancy work, &c. H. 70-80. D. 2-3. Habitat—Brush forests, northern and southern districts.

Three-veined Myrtle (Rhodamnia trinervia. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber, hard and close-grained; not used. H. 20-30. D. 1-1½. Habitat—Brush forests, northern and southern districts.

Light Yellow Wood (Daphnandra micrantha. Ord.—Monimiaceæ).—Timber, yellow; when fresh, easily worked, and takes a good polish. H. 40-60. D. 1-1½. Habitat—Clarence and other northern brush forests.

Silky Oak (Grevillea robusta. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber much valued for staves, lining houses, and other purposes. H. 70-80. D. 2-3, Habitat—Northern bush forests.

Not known (Genus?).—Timber used for fancy purposes. H. 20-25. D. 1-1½. Habitat—Clarence brush forests.

Black Myrtle (Cargillia pentamera).—Timber soft when fresh, tough and durable. H. 80-100. D. 2-3. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Not known (Genus?).—H. 20-30. D. 9-12 inches. Habit—Clarence district.

Bastard Myall (Acacia Cunninghamii. Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber, dark-coloured, hard, heavy, and close-grained; would be useful for cabinet purposes. H. 10-20. D. 9-12 inches. Habitat—Northern and southern districts.

Sassafras or Bitter Bark (Doryphora sassafras)—Already described.

Cypress Pine (Frenela macleayana).—Timber used for indoor purposes. H. 20-30. D. 6-12 inches. Habitat—Northern districts.

Mountain Ash (Genus? Ord.—Laurineæ).—Timber described as good and suitable for various purposes, but not used. H. 30-40. D. 1-2. Habitat—Mountain brush forest, Clarence district.

Sally Wattle (Acacia sp.? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber good, but not used. H. 20-30. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Banks of creeks, northern districts.

Corkwood (Duboisia myoporoides. Ord.—Scrophulariaceæ).—Timber white, soft, close-grained and firm; used for carving and wood-engraving; bark resembles the cork oak, and it is used medicinally. H. 20-25. D. 1-2. Habitat—Northern and southern districts.

White Bark (Genus? Ord.—Laurineæ).—Timber described as good, but not used. H. 20-30. D. 6-12 inches. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Rosewood (Dysoxylon Fraserianum. Ord.—Meliaceæ).—Timber fragrant, and much valued for indoor work, furniture, cabinet-work, turning, wood-engraving, &c. H. 50-70. D. 3-4. Habitat—Brush forests, northern districts.

White Beech (Genus?).—Timber used for flooring boards, ships' decks, &c. H. 70-80. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Black Apple (Genus? Ord.—Laurineæ).—Timber not used. H. 30-40. D. 9-12 inches. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Ironwood or Stavewood (Tarrietia actinodendron).—Timber used for staves and building purposes. H. 50-70. D. 3-4. Habitat—Northern brush forests.

Grass-tree (Xanthorrhœa arborea. Ord.—Liliaceæ.)—A valuable gum or resin is obtained from the stem of this plant. H. 12-15. D. 6-12 inches. Habitat—Northern and southern districts.

Bangalow Palm (Ptychosperma elegans. Ord.—Palmæ).—A very ornamental feathery-leaved palm, stems sometimes used for fencing. H. 100-130. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Northern and southern brush forests.

Black or Red Pine (Frenela endlicherii. Ord.—Coniferæ).—Timber beautifully mottled and striped with black, white, and yellow; much used and valued in the Lachlan and Murrumbidgee districts for the interior lining and roofing of houses, mantelpieces, skirting boards, &c. H. 60-90. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Dry sandy ridges chiefly, Lachlan and Murrumbidgee districts.

White or common Pine (Frenela robusta. Ord.—Coniferæ).—Timber much used in the Lachlan and Murrumbidgee districts in the construction of weatherboard houses, for fencing, telegraph poles, &c. This is the common scrub pine of the interior, millions of acres of land being so densely covered with it as to be rendered useless. H. 60-90. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Rich flats and low sandy ridges. Lachlan and other interior southern districts.

Bull Oak (Casuarina equisetifolia. Ord.—Casuarineæ).—Timber used for log-fencing, gates, and shingles; not much valued. H. 30-40. D. 12-18 inches. Habitat—Rich soil, Lachlan and other interior southern districts.

She Oak (Casuarina suberosa fœm) and He Oak (Casuarina suberosa mas. Ord.—Casuarineæ).—Timber used for bullock-yokes, malls, tool-handles, &c.; very valuable fodder trees; largely used and much valued in the interior districts as food for stock during periods of drought. H. 20-30. D. 12-18 inches. Habitat—Dry sandy ridges, Lachlan and other interior southern districts.

Red or Flooded Gum (Eucalyptus rostrata. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber much valued for strength and durability, and extensively used for bridges, waggons, railway sleepers, wheelwrights' work, shipbuilding, &c., and largely used and greatly valued for durability as piles and posts in damp situations. H. 80-120. D. 6-8. Habitat—River flats subject to inundation, Murray River and other southern districts.

Red Box (Eucalyptus sp? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—This species is not generally known, but the timber is valued for fencing, and it is said to be one of the best kinds of the southern box. H. 30-50. D. 1-2. Habitat—Chiefly confined to dry, stony ridges in the Lachlan district.

White Box (Eucalyptus albens. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber durable; used for fencing, uprights, rafters, &c. H. 50-60. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Principally on rich flat land; distributed over the Lachlan and other southern districts.

Yellow Box (Eucalyptus melliodora. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, tough, durable, and close-grained; used chiefly by wood engravers. An excellent shade tree. H. 40-50. D. 1½-2. Habitat—Common in Lachlan, Murrumbidgee, and other southern districts.

Stringybark (Eucalyptus obliqua? Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber strong, hard, tough, and durable; used for posts in fencing, supports in mines, &c.; bark used for roofs of houses, &c. H. 80-100. D. 2-3. Habitat—Chiefly on dry stony ridges, Lachlan and other districts, widely distributed.

Silver-leaved Boree or Myall (Acacia sp.? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber fragrant, hard, heavy, tough, and close-grained; used for cabinet-work, veneering, picture frames, pipe-making, &c. This is one of the most valuable fodder trees in the Lachlan and Murrumbidgee districts. H. 20-30. D. 9 inches-1 foot. Habitat—Generally fringing the margin of plains, in rich moist soil, Lachlan and other southern districts.

Yarran or Myall (Acacia sp.? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber similar to Boree; used for stockwhip handles, cabinet-work, pipes, picture-frames, veneering, &c.; leaves eaten by stock, but not so good feed as Boree. H. 20-30. D. 9 inches-1 foot. Habitat—Intermixed with box, pine, and other trees, Lachlan and other southern districts.

Currawang or Spear-wood (Acacia doratoxylon. Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber, hard, tough, heavy, and close grained; used for gates, buggy poles, furniture, &c., and by aborigines for boomerangs and spears; leaves eaten by stock. H. 20-30. D. 9 inches—1 foot. Habitat—Chiefly on summit of dry stony ridges, Lachlan and other southern districts.

Umbrella Bush (Acacia sp? Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber similar to and used for same purposes as Yarran; leaves eaten by stock; and it is an excellent shade tree. H. 15-20. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Open plains or margin of plains, in rich moist soil. Lachlan and other southern districts.

Cuba or Native Willow (Acacia salicina. Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber tough and hard, but not used; a good shade tree; leaves eaten by stock. H. 20 [illegible] D. 1½. Habitat—Banks of creeks and moist places, Lachlan and other southern districts.

Silver Wattle (Acacia decurrens, vars mollis. Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber similar in quality to green wattle, and used for same purposes; bark used for tanning. H. 20 to 30. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Intermixed with yellow box, pine, &c., Lachlan and other districts.

Green Wattle (Acacia decurrens. Ord.—Leguminosæ). Timber light, tough, and strong; used for staves; bark used for tanning. H. 30-40. D. 1-1½. Habitat—Moist, shady places; southern, western, and northern districts.

Wilga (Genus?)—Timber not used; a very handsome spreading shade tree; leaves eaten by stock. H. 40-50. D. 1-1½. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Quandong (Fusanus acuminatus. Ord.—Santalaceæ).—Timber hard and closed-grained; used for cabinet-work. Fruit makes excellent tarts and jelly, of the same flavour as black guava; seeds used for necklaces, bracelets, and other ornaments. H. 15-20. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Native Cherry (Exocarpus cupressiformis. Ord.—Santalaceæ).—Timber close-grained; used for turning and cabinet purposes. A handsome shade tree. H. 15-20. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Southern, northern, and western districts.

Black Wattle (Acacia bakeoides. Ord.—Leguminosæ).—Timber not used; a very common scrub pest in the Lachlan and Murrumbidgee districts. H. 8-12. D. 3-6 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Emu Bush (Heterodendron oleæfolium. Ord.—Sapindaceæ).—Timber very hard and heavy; used for rollers, &c. Seeds eaten by emus. H. 15-20. D. 6-9 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Dog Wood (Geijera parviflora. Ord.—Rutaceæ).—Timber close-grained, not used; leaves of broad-leaved species eaten by stock. H. 15-20. D. 9-12 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Pin or Needle Bush (Hakea leucoptera. Ord.—Proteaceæ).—Timber not used; a common and useless scrub in the Lachlan district. H. 12-15. D. 3-6 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Giant Hopbush (Dodonæa lobulata. Ord.—Sapindaceæ). No specimen forwarded. Timber hard and close grained, not used; one of the best fodder shrubs in the Lachlan district. H. 10-15. D. 3-6 inches. Habitat—Lachlan and other southern districts.

Kurrajong (Sterculia diversifolia. Ord.—Sterculiaceæ).—Timber soft, fibrous, and useless; leaves eaten greedily by stock. A strong fibre is obtained from the bark, and it is a most ornamental shade tree. H. 40-50. D. 2-3. Habitat—Chiefly confined to dry, stony ridges, Lachlan and other districts.

Ironbark (Eucalyptus leucoxylon. Ord.—Myrtaceæ).—Timber hard, heavy, close-grained, strong, and durable; used for railway sleepers, girders, uprights, piles, posts, &c., and for the same purposes as red gum. H. 60-70. D. 2-3. Habitat—Dry stony ridges, Lachlan and other districts.

THE BENEVOLENT ASYLUM.

We are indebted to the hon. Colonial Secretary for a copy of the following letter, which he caused to be forwarded to the President of the Benevolent Asylum:—

"Colonial Secretary's Office,
"Sydney, 14th September, 1883.

"Sir,—I am directed to inform you that the attention of the Colonial Secretary has been drawn to the report of a meeting held on the 13th instant, whereat a resolution appears to have been passed, that a site be purchased in Redfern for the Benevolent Asylum, at a cost of over £30,000, and that it is intended to carry out the purchase without reference to the Government.

"2. The Colonial Secretary desires to call the attention of the asylum authorities to the Acts 14 Victoria No. 39, and 33 Victoria No. 10, as well as to the terms of the grants, from which it appears to Mr. Stuart that the trustees of the asylum were without power to sell the land, but that when power was received from Parliament to sell portions of it the proceeds thereof were to be expended on the present land, and the expenditure was to be subject to the approval of the Governor-in-Council. The inference seems, therefore, very clear to the Colonial Secretary that if the land be resumed by the Government the proceeds can only lawfully be applied to any new site obtained in substitution of the old one, and to erection of buildings thereon, subject to the approval of the Governor in Council. It probably will be necessary to obtain power from Parliament to carry out such expenditure, but the Parliament would not be likely to remove the restriction, and certainly the Colonial Secretary could not advise its removal, seeing that, although the property was originally placed in trustees, yet it was done for a public object, and not as establishing a private institution, and the accumulated wealth of the institution has been derived mainly from the increased value of the Government grant, and from the public funds which have been with no niggard hand bestowed upon it.

"3. The Colonial Secretary entirely dissents from the views expressed by one director at the meeting above referred to, to the effect that the trustees were proprietors of the ground and property in such a way "that they could do what they liked with the money," and also from that propounded by another that the whole area of land offered at Redfern should be purchased, "believing in it as a good commercial speculation." Mr. Stuart deems it entirely beyond the scope of the Benevolent Society to purchase land as a commercial speculation, and also denies entirely the right of the trustees to dispose of the property in any way they like. He claims that the Government, as representing the general public, has a right to insist on its approval or disapproval of any proposed disposition of the property.

"I have, &c., (Signed)
"CRITCHETT WALKER, Principal Under-Secretary.
"Arthur Renwick, Esq., M.D., president of the Benevolent Society."

THE LOCATION OF CRIMINALS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—If we are to have our opinions on the European telegrams in your issues of Friday and Saturday last and others, a time has certainly arrived for the united action of the Australian colonies, if not for all Australasia. I maintain that no European nation has a right in the present day to form convict settlements, or to systematically locate their criminals, in this portion of the globe. All Australians have a right to protest against such an objectionable proceeding, and I would suggest that meetings should be held throughout Australia for that purpose, and that our politicians should take a prominent and unanimous part therein.

No doubt some continental European nations may retort that England was the first to set the example, and in sending their criminals to this part of the world they are only doing what she had done before; but that assertion is now futile. A century nearly has elapsed since that was first done, and at that time all around was savage desolation; all that has now been supplanted by prosperity and civilisation. England saw and freely admitted, years back that the practice had become unjust, and readily discontinued it; but now Australia is threatened with an inundation of criminals from a foreign nation. It behoves all, I repeat, to make a firm stand and do their utmost to check this contemplated profane act. I am, &c.,

AN OLD COLONIST.

Sydney, September 17.

MALTED COCOA.—A delicious combination of Fry's Cocoa Extract with Allen and Hanbury's Extract of Malt. An ordinary cup contains more of the active properties of malt than a pint of the best ale or porter.—Lancet.—[ADVT.]

TRANSFER of the TECHNICAL COLLEGE to the GOVERNMENT.

A special meeting of members of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts was held in the large hall of the institution last evening, to consider a proposal to transfer the Technical College to the Government. There was a very small attendance, and his Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer (president of the School of Arts) presided.

The CHAIRMAN said they had met that night, in pursuance of an advertisement calling the members of the institution together, for the purpose of considering a resolution which the committee had framed authorising them to lease to the Government a certain portion of these premises. The committee had been obliged to bring the members together for that purpose in consequence of a provision of their Act of incorporation, by which it was enacted that in the event of it being considered desirable to lease, or in any way part with any of the property of the institution, the assent of the general body of members should be given to that course. As all present were aware, for some time past a course of technical education had been given in the Technical College carried on in connection with that institution. The committee had hitherto been enabled to carry on that teaching by aid of the Government, who had very liberally granted from £1500 to £2000 a year for paying the teachers employed in connection with the School of Arts. The Government, however, had now decided to carry out a system of technical education, and, as those present were probably aware, had appointed a board for the management of such system. That body had communicated with the committee of the School of Arts, and asked them whether they would be willing to hand over to them the Technical College, hitherto carried on in the institution. The committee, of course, saw that that was an intimation on the part of the Government that the aid hitherto granted to the Technical College would no longer be given, as the Government had determined to carry on a system of technical education under Government supervision. The committee, seeing no option but to accede to the request, came to the conclusion that the best arrangement that could be made would be that those classes which had hitherto been conducted under the supervision of that institution should be carried on under the supervision of the Board of Technical Education. The Government, at the time of making the proposition he had alluded to, intimated that they would be prepared to deal with the School of Arts on terms not unfavourable to the institution. Of course the Government at present had no place ready for carrying on such classes as had been carried on at the Technical College, and that being the case they intimated that they would be willing to lease from the School of Arts a portion of the premises now occupied in connection with the work of the Technical College. The committee took the necessary steps for obtaining a valuation of the institution in order that they might see what would be the proper rent to ask from the Government. The result was that the committee formed the following resolution, and decided to submit it to a meeting of the members of the School of Arts:—"That this meeting hereby authorises the committee to lease to the Government for the yearly rental of £1500 the large hall and three adjoining rooms, the chemical laboratory, the art classroom, the classrooms Nos. 1, 2, and 3, the operator's and registrar's rooms, with reservation of the hall on Monday and Saturday evenings throughout the year, and once every six months, in addition to the use of it for the annual meeting, and any special meeting of the members duly convened. The Government to have free access to the premises and entrance at the rear without control over that part of the building. The said lease to be for a period of three years, with the option upon one year's notice of renewal for two years more, at the same rate. That in consideration of the foregoing lease being executed, the committee be authorised to transfer and convey to the Government free of charge the whole of the scientific apparatus and technical libraries, with the exception of the triunial lantern, slides, and accessories." With reference to the latter portion of the resolution he might point out that in point of fact the greater portion of the scientific appliances had been purchased with money placed at the disposal of the committee by the Government. The committee as a matter of fact held that property rather as trustees than as owners in their own right, the money with which they purchased the appliances having been given from the vote set apart for the purposes of technical education. The committee felt therefore that as the classes were about to be conducted by the Government, it would be only right that they should hand back the property which had been purchased with Government money. The resolution which he had read would be proposed, and he trusted the meeting would see the propriety of supporting the committee in their action. The matter was all complete, the Government Board of Technical Education having accepted those terms, and nothing remained to complete the agreement, but the obtaining the sanction of the general members. If that arrangement was not carried out the only result would be that the assistance hitherto given to the Technical College by the Government would be withdrawn, and the classes, it would appear, must necessarily come to an end. He trusted, therefore, the good sense of the meeting would see the propriety of enabling the committee to give effect to that resolution, and complete the bargain made with the Government, and which only required the assent of the general members of that institution. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. JAMES DALGARNO, in moving the resolution which had been read by the chairman, said that after the lucid explanation of the position of the matter just given by the president, it required little further to be said in support of the formal resolution, which was intended to give effect to what the School of Arts' committee recommended should be done. It was now ten years since he (Mr. Dalgarno) had the pleasure of seconding the original resolution of Mr. Edward Dowling, that gained the concurrence of the members of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, for the attempt to be made towards the establishment of a Working Men's College. The college came into existence in 1878, and it was then viewed in the light of an experiment—a pioneer effort only in the direction of inaugurating in this country a system of technical instruction which would to some extent enable our artisans to compete in regard to the quality of their work with the artisans of other parts of the world. It was at that time believed that that effort on the part of the committee would reach its climax when the Government of the colony made technical art training a part of the system of national education. That period had happily now arrived, and it was a matter for congratulation that they had met together that evening to assent to a proposal for the permanent establishment by the Government of that which the School of Arts had, under very great disadvantages, been hitherto carrying on. He said the committee had given very careful consideration to the terms upon which the transfer to the Government was proposed to be made, and he thought it would be found that no real sacrifice of any kind would be involved. As regarded that interesting and instructive feature of the School of Arts—the Debating Society—it would be found that the large hall had been reserved for every Monday evening, whilst upon every Saturday the hall would be still available for the delivery of popular lectures. The amount of rent—£1500 a-year—which the Government Technical Board were disposed to give for the use of the School of Arts premises, was, in the opinion of the committee, a fair sum under all the circumstances of the case; and the proposed transfer of a portion of the apparatus of the college was also considered reasonable. He was persuaded that the proposed course was the right one for the members to adopt, and he, therefore hoped they would agree with the resolution. He might add, in conclusion, that the question of utilising the vacant premises, should it not be deemed advisable to let them to the Government, had been considered, and while in the not far distant future a gymnasium, conversation-room, billiard-room, and other attractive features might, with great advantage, be added to the institution, it seemed best first to pay off, by leasing the premises in the way proposed, the sum of £3000 due upon the property, and afterwards to adopt such attractions as would assuredly make the School of Arts increasingly useful as a place of literary and recreative resort. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. E. A. JOWNS, in seconding the resolution, said that under the proposed arrangement they would be actually getting from the Government, for the use of the rooms of the institution for four days out of the six, as much rental as they used to get in days gone by when the hall was let for theatrical purposes and was occupied by the lessees for the whole week. Under the proposed arrangement they would be able to preserve the literary character of the institution by having the use of the rooms for the Debating Club and for popular lectures. If the resolution should be rejected, they would have to revert to the old system of letting the hall in such a manner that they would not have the use of it at all. Whilst they had endeavoured to deal liberally with the Government they had got a promise of engagement on terms which were very liberal to the institution. He trusted that the resolution would, under the circumstances, meet with their unanimous approval.

Mr. E. L. SCOTT and Mr. HOBBS having spoken in support of the resolution, it was put and carried unanimously.

Mr. W. F. MARTIN proposed, Mr. R. STEVENSON seconded, and it was resolved,—"That the thanks of this meeting be given to all those gentlemen on the successive committees of the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, who so generously and anxiously laboured to promote technical education in the colony, specially Mr. E. Dowling, the promoter and permanent chairman of the Working Men's College. And this meeting hereby authorises the general committee to make Mr. Dowling a life member of the Sydney School of Arts."

On the motion of Dr. G. J. SLY, seconded by Mr. E. L. SCOTT, it was resolved,—"That the thanks of this meeting are hereby tendered to the various teachers of the Technical College for their services during the past 10 years."

A vote of thanks having been accorded to the chairman for presiding, the meeting terminated.

SWISS LABOUR STATISTICS.—The most recent report of the Department of the Interior states that there are in Switzerland 8642 factories and workshops under legal supervision, 1172 of which are worked by machine power. Of these, water furnishes the movement to the amount of 41,316 horse power, steam to the amount of 18,064, and gas to the amount of 117. The number of operatives employed are 134,862, of which 70,364 are males, and 64,498 females. There are 10,462 children between 14 and 16 years of age, 14,590 between 16 and 18, and 109,810 over the latter age. The textiles, such as cotton, silk, woollen, and linen, occupy 1619 factories, with 85,705 workpeople; 68 establishments carry on tanning, leather dressing, hair weaving, &c., with 3753 hands. There are 6636 hands employed in 143 food-preparing shops; 2749 in 102 chemical works; 4950 in 150 printing shops. There are also 111 wood-working establishments, occupying 2913 hands; 353 for clock and jewellery making, with 24.988 workpeople; and 96 for glass making, &c., with 3170.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

Banco Court.—(*Before his Honor the* CHIEF JUSTICE *and a jury of four.*)

COHN V. ROWE.

This was an action to recover possession of the furniture of the Tattersall's Club Hotel, Nyngan, and for £300 as damages for their detention.

Mr. Teece, instructed by Mr. Sly, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Tarleton, instructed by Mr. Cahill, for the defendant.

The plaintiff's case was that in October 1879, during his absence, he left the defendant in charge of his hotel at Nyngan, as his servant, at a salary of £2 per week; the furniture, the subject of the action, being also left in the house. At the termination of their agreement the defendant erected another hotel, and removed the furniture to it, and repeatedly refused to give it up to the plaintiff, who valued it at £230.

The case for the defence was that the furniture, which was not worth more than £25, had been stored by the defendant for the plaintiff, and that the plaintiff had neglected to receive a delivery of it, although twice requested to do so by the defendant.

The CHIEF JUSTICE left it to the jury whether there had been a demand for the goods by the plaintiff, and a refusal to deliver them by the defendant. If they found these two facts, they must return a verdict for the plaintiff; if, on the contrary, there was in their opinion no refusal on the part of the defendant, they must find for him.

The jury, after retiring for over an hour, brought in a verdict for the defendant.

FULTON V. KIRKPATRICK.

This case is still proceeding.

Mr. M. H. Stephen, Q.C., and C. B. Stephen, instructed by Messrs. Iceton and Faithfull (agents for Mr. Nevill, of Bourke), for the plaintiff; Mr. Pilcher and Mr. M'Culloch, instructed by Messrs. Shorter, Fitzgerald and Asher (agents for Mr. Radford, of Bourke), for the defendant.

The following cases were disposed of on Monday before the Court rose:—

ERWIN V. STEVENSON.

Issues under the Real Property Act. A verdict, by consent, for plaintiff.

FISHER V. MACVEAN.

The plaintiff did not appear, and was nonsuited.

Jury Court.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* INNES *and a jury of four.*)

POKORNEY V. O'BRIEN.

Mr. Bruce Smith, instructed by Mr. Russell Jones, for the plaintiff; Mr. Darley, Q.C., and Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Messrs. Slattery and Heydon, for the defendant.

The plaintiff in this case was a broker and commission agent, who claimed £700 from the defendant, being the commissions on certain sums which had been advanced to the defendant through his instrumentality, and a percentage on a sum of money paid to the defendant for a certain mine which had been purchased by a gentleman who had been introduced by the plaintiff. The defendants denied that the plaintiff had introduced the purchaser of the property, or that the loans had been procured through his agency. The evidence was of a very conflicting nature. After a lengthened consultation, the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for £250, being the commission on a loan of £10,000 advanced to the defendant at the rate of 2½ per cent.

FRIEND V. SMITH.

Mr. Pilcher and Mr. Pring, instructed by Messrs. Lawrence and Rich, agents for M'Lachlan and Pilcher, of Orange, for the plaintiff; Mr. D. Buchanan, instructed by Messrs. Shorter, Fitzgerald, and Asher, agents for Mr. J. O. Dodd, of Carcoar, for the defendant.

This case was not concluded when the Court rose.

In Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* FAUCETT *and a jury of four.*)

M'ARTHUR AND OTHERS V. SECCOMBE.

Mr. Dawson, instructed by Messrs. Lawrence and Rich, for the plaintiffs executors; Mr. Pilcher and Mr. Lingen, instructed by Mr. A. Nicholson, for the plaintiff executrix; Mr. M. H. Stephen, Q.C., and Mr. Knox, instructed by Messrs. Dawson and Sons, for the defendant.

Mr. M. H. Stephen concluded his address to the jury shortly after 11 a.m. Mr. C. E. Pilcher then commenced his reply, which he finished at 1.30. His Honor proceeded to charge the jury at 2.15, and had not finished when the Court adjourned.

In Equity.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* FAUCETT.)

GIBSON V. SNEDDON.

Mr. Manning moved for an *ex parte* injunction to have the defendant restrained from working a certain coal mine at Brooke Town, near Newcastle, in such a way as to endanger the support of plaintiff's house. Plaintiff had sold the allotments in question, and had reserved the right to mine. He is now working an eight-feet coal seam just 18 feet under plaintiff's house.

His Honor granted the injunction as prayed.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

(*Before the* CHIEF COMMISSIONER.)

APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES.

In the matter of Alfred Johnson, the certificate was refused, on the ground of unjust preference.

Directions were given that certificates be issued to John Augustus Flood, Stephen Bayley, and John Hanley, on payment of the usual court fees.

The application of William Tate was struck out in consequence of insufficient notice.

The applications of John Joseph Myers, Charles Mansfield, and W. E. H. Hammond were adjourned to the 9th proximo. The applications of Samuel Freshman and James Lamrock Little, to the 16th proximo; and the application of Charles John Williams to the 2nd proximo.

In the matter of Samuel Symonds Howes, in which objections had been filed. Mr. Heydon appeared as counsel for the official assignee; and Mr. Bennett, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, appeared on behalf of the insolvent. After several witnesses had been examined the hearing was further adjourned until Wednesday next.

SURRENDER.

Thomas Bellamy, of East Maitland, omnibus driver. Liabilities, £100 0s. 6d.; assets, £6. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.

TUESDAY.

(*Before Mr. District Court Judge* WILKINSON).

CHARD V. FLETCHER.

In this case W. H. Chard sued J. W. Fletcher, for £20 12s., for alleged breach of contract. Mr. F. Barton, instructed by Messrs. Spain and Sly, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. O'Connor, instructed by Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Scarvell, for defendant. It appeared that the defendant was head master of Coreen College, Woollahra. Plaintiff's case was that it was agreed between him and defendant that in consideration that he paid defendant one quarter's fees in advance defendant would board, teach, and instruct a son of plaintiff at his college during the whole of the said quarter. He paid defendant the said fees, and everything happened necessary for entitling him to have the agreement performed; yet defendant did not board, instruct, and teach the plaintiff's said son during the whole of the said quarter. Although he received plaintiff's son at his said college at the beginning of the said quarter, he refused and neglected to board, instruct, and teach plaintiff's son during the whole of the said quarter, whereby plaintiff lost the said quarter's fees, and the board and instruction that otherwise would have been given to his son. The amount sued for consisted of the fees which plaintiff had paid to defendant. The defence was that the son of plaintiff was suffering from ringworm, and that he was sent home as a precaution against the other scholars suffering contagion from the said disease, but that defendant was prepared, upon the boy being cured, to receive him back again in the college. Having heard the evidence the Judge stated that the case was a rather unusual one. It appeared to him, however, that defendant had acted judiciously, as there was no doubt that he had to perform a duty to his other pupils as well as to plaintiff's son. His verdict would be for defendant, with costs for witnesses and increased fees for counsel.

PARRY V. ELLIOTT.

In this case Joseph Parry sued Samuel Elliott for £20, balance on machinery. Defendant paid £7 2s. into court in satisfaction of plaintiff's claim. Plaintiff obtained a verdict for £8 18s., plus the amount paid into court.

JACOBS V. O'CONNOR.

In this case the Edwin Jacobs sued Hannah O'Connor, executrix of M. W. O'Connor, for £26 for money lent and interest. He obtained a verdict for £19 10s.

CIRCUIT COURTS.

The following is a list of the Circuit Courts about to be held, with the date of the opening of each, and the name of the Crown Prosecutor:—Wagga Wagga, September 27, Mr. W. J. Foster; Hay, September 28, Mr. W. W. Tarleton; Mudgee, October 1, Mr. H. R. M'Culloch; Tamworth, October 2, Mr. C. A. Irving; Young, October 5, Mr. J. G. O'Ryan; Albury, October 5, Mr. W. C. Meseweather; Armidale, October 9, Mr. A. Nash; Yass, October 11, Mr. C. A. Coghlan; Maitland, October 15, Mr. W. Edmunds; Goulburn, October 16, Mr. C. G. Heydon; Dubbo, October 17, Mr. A. W. Macnaughton; Grafton, October 26, Mr. H. Harris; Deniliquin, October 22, Mr. Alex. Gordon, jun.; Bathurst, October 24, Mr. A. F. Dawson.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19.

Banco Court.—Fulton v. Kirkpatrick, part heard; Horgan v. Fulton, Robinson v. Moffatt, Beveridge v. O'Brien, Toohey v. Commissioner for Railways, Sidersorf v. Low and another.

Jury Court.—Friend v. Smith, part heard; Holroyd v. Lackey, Parrott v. Rutledge, Sharp v. Commissioner for Railways, Cruickshank v. Amos and another.

In Equity (after Ecclesiastical business, at 2 p.m.).—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Faucett (in, &c.). In Court—Motions and petitions generally: Hall v. Hart, motion to continue injunction; M'Auley v. Ramsay, to make rule nisi absolute; Commissioner for Railways v. Korff and others, injunction motion; Johnson v. Tuttle, injunction motion; Garot v. Smith, motion to dissolve injunction; Chapman v. Halliday, motion; re Trusts of Andrew Gibson's will, and petition to appoint new trustee; Pennington and others v. Russell and others, motion to review taxation of defendants' costs; Commissioner for Railways and claim of J. H. K. Hume, petition to vary order.

Master's Office, at 11 a.m.—Watson v. Watson and others, to settle minutes; Cook and another v. Milson and others, to settle minutes; Hall and another v. Hall and others, to settle report; Denny and another v. Hughes and others, to consider plaintiffs' proposal for bail on appeal, and to approve of sureties; Walker and others v. Riley and others, adjourned taxation of defendant Joseph Riley's costs. At 12 noon: Re insolvent estate of Edmund Watman, to tax costs.

Prothonotary's Taxation List.—Lakeman v. Edmondson, 10.30; in re W. A. Manning, gent., one &c., 10.30; Erskine v. Hunt, 11; Trice v. Richmond S. N. Company, 11.30; Goode v. Mellor, 12.

INSOLVENCY BUSINESS.

Wednesday.—William Adams, Thomas Smith Richardson, Albert Gabriel, Stewart, second meetings; M'Kay, third meeting; Charles Carter, special for proof; Henry J. Ollerton, Watt and Victor, Henry Sofala Watt, first meeting; Richard Simson, special for proof; Alfred Henry Benton, Stephen Dennis, and James Coar, first meetings.

Thursday.—Isaac Bank, adjourned certificate; Henry Martin, adjourned motion for order, under 10th section, Act 5 Vic., No. 17; William Henry Berwick, Charles Weifert, John Adamson Bryce, David Cassidy, Alexander Johnstone, Donald Cameron, George Glasscow, accounts and plans; William Lyndhurst Vardy, adjourned single meeting; Richard Simson, ratification of directions.

Friday.—William Edward Ebblewhite, Albert W. Aspinall, George W. Yarnton, David Duncanson, third meetings; William Beaumont Melville, Thomas Cogins, Edward Gardiner, single meetings; Patrick Tighe, second meeting; William Short, special for proof; William Talbot Wallis, special for proof.

DISTRICT COURT.—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19.

Jury Causes.—Dovey v. Groth, Austen v. The Commissioner for Railways.

POLICE.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

Mr. Crane, S.M., presided in the Charge Court yesterday, and dealt with the following cases:—

Bridget Mahon, 26 years, on a charge of having used indecent language in King-street, was fined £3; in default, to be imprisoned for two months.

Charles Murphy, on a charge of having assaulted Constable Chamberlain in Elizabeth-street on Sunday afternoon, was fined £3, with the option of two months' imprisonment.

Thomas Simmons, who was arrested at the same time that Murphy was taken into custody, was charged with having assaulted Gong Waing, a Chinaman. Defendant was fined £3; in default, to be imprisoned for two months.

Thomas Gordon, 22 years, bricklayer, pleaded guilty to having assaulted Constable Loadsman whilst in the execution of his duty, and was sentenced to be imprisoned and kept to hard labour for a month. The same defendant was ordered to pay 30s. for having destroyed the constable's jumper.

Ann Carey, 40 years, for having used indecent language in a public place off Sussex-street, was fined £5; in default, to be imprisoned for three months.

Mary Jane Watson, 21 years, and *Mary Harris*, 20 years, pleaded guilty to having behaved in a riotous manner in Hyde Park on Monday night, and were sent to gaol for seven days.

John E. Mackal, 24 years, pleaded guilty to having, in George-street, on Saturday morning, stolen a lady's handbag, containing 19s. 6d., &c., and the property of Mrs. Brooks. Defendant was sentenced to be imprisoned and kept to hard labour for two months.

George Stewart, 19 years, carter, and *John Lewis*, 16 years, brickmaker, were charged with having behaved in a riotous manner, in Sussex-street, on Monday evening. It appeared that the defendants, in company with 40 or 50 other persons, created a disturbance in the neighbourhood of the City Mission Chapel whilst a meeting was being held in the building. Defendants were arrested by constables Sproule and Streatfield. Some of the mob then threw stones at the constables. Defendants were each fined 20s.

Emma Godfrey, 25 years, and *Fanny Howard*, 16 years, on a charge of behaving in a riotous manner in George-street, were each fined 20s.

Annie Moss, alias *Brown*, 30 years, for having used obscene language in Campbell-street; and *Thomas M'Ewan*, 41 years, tailor, for having used profane language in Sussex-street, were each fined 40s.

Mr. G. O'M. Clarke, S.M., sat in the Summons Court, and disposed of the following cases:—

George Brown was summoned by Inspector Anderson for having in Kent-street, on the 13th September cruelly ill-used a horse by beating it about the head with a whip. Defendant pleaded guilty, and was fined £2 and costs.

Robert Baxter was charged with having driven carelessly in King-street on the 6th instant. It appeared that the defendant was driving a horse attached to a vehicle, and attempted to cross the tram line in Elizabeth-street when a tram was about to start. The signal man, Richard Switson, exhibited the red light, and as the defendant paid no attention to it he caught hold of the horse and backed it off the line. The defendant, however, drove up again, nearly drove over the signal man, and narrowly escaped a collision with the tram. A fine of 40s. and costs was imposed.

George Wallace was charged with having, in Miller-street, Pyrmont, so carelessly driven a horse as to endanger the life of Henry Albert Kendall. It appeared that the defendant was driving a butcher's cart, and the complainant a furniture van. Both were going in opposite directions. Defendant's vehicle came into collision with Kendall's. Complainant was thrown off his vehicle, and received some injuries of a severe nature. A fine of £5 was imposed, and costs.

William Hickey, licensed victualler, for having kept his house open for the sale of liquor at 10 minutes to 6 o'clock on the morning of the 8th instant was fined £3 and costs. *Patrick Whitty*, for having drunk in a licensed house at an unauthorised hour, was fined 10s. and 5s. 6d. costs.

Mary Noble sued her husband, *Joseph Noble*, for maintenance. Mr. T. M. Williamson appeared for the complainant, and Mr. G. C. Murdoch for the defendant. It appeared that the complainant left her husband about four or five years ago, in consequence, it was alleged, of cruelty on his part. Several orders for maintenance have at various times been made against the defendant, and on three occasions he was summoned for having used threatening language towards his wife, and bound over to keep the peace. In the month of June Mr. Dillon, S.M., made an order for the defendant to pay 35s. per week maintenance. The defendant appealed to the Quarter Sessions, and the order was quashed. The matter was then taken before the Supreme Court, who reversed the decision of the Court of Quarter Sessions. The principal ground of the defence was that the defendant had offered the complainant money, and that she had refused to take it, and was therefore debarred from suing him. Mr. [?] made an order for the defendant to pay 35s. per week for 12 months, in addition to £2 2s. costs. Mr. Murdoch gave notice of his intention to appeal.

Daniel M'Donnell, for having used insulting words towards Elijah Devidge, was fined £2 and costs.

LICENSING BUSINESS.

A sitting of the Licensing Court was held at noon, when the bench was occupied by Mr. Crane, S.M., and the Hon. J. Macintosh, L.M.

The following transfers of publicans' licenses were granted:—Patrick Knowles, City View Hotel, Elizabeth-street, to Daniel Byron; and William Scott, Hampton Court Hotel, Newtown, to Terence Mahon.

A publican's license was granted to James Howard, Peate's Ferry, Hawkesbury River. An auctioneer's license was granted to Phineas B. Selig, of 237 and 239, Parramatta-street. Two music permits and one hawker's license were also granted.

WATER POLICE COURT.

Mr. Marsh, S.M., disposed of the charge sheets, and Mr. Buchanan, S.M., sat in the Summons Court yesterday.

James Driscoll, in addition to being fined for drunkenness, was ordered to forfeit the sum of £5, in default to go to gaol for three months, for having made use of indecent language on the Circular Quay.

Sarah Smith, aged 48 years, was sentenced to imprisonment for three months for having no visible lawful means of support.

Sellam, a Lascar, was sent to gaol for a period of three months for having stolen a coat from the steamship Rosetta, the property of a quartermaster on board.

Charles Johnston was fined £5, in default three months' imprisonment, for having made use of obscene language towards a female. Mr. Marsh informed the prisoner that he narrowly escaped being ordered a whipping.

Thomas Jones was charged with the larceny of £30 from one Joseph Growden. The evidence given in this case was heard a week since. It was to the effect that the prosecutor entrusted prisoner with the sale of £75 worth of brandy certificates on commission. He sold them for £30, and it was alleged that he never rendered prosecutor any account of the transaction, nor forwarded him any of the money. He was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions.

In the Summons Court two persons who were passengers by the steamship Burmah proceeded against A. N. Pidcock, chief officer of the vessel, under the 72nd section of the Passengers Act of 1855, for having induced them to part with their contract tickets. Mr. Freehill appeared for the complainants, and Mr. Bull for the defendant. A technical objection was raised to the effect that the proceedings should not have been taken by the complainants, but by a Custom House officer, under the 84th section of the Act. The objection was upheld, and the summonses were in consequence dismissed. Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Scarvell, solicitors, watched the proceedings on behalf of the Shipmasters and Owners' Association of Australia.

H. F. Henten, wine and spirit merchant, was fined £30 for sly grog-selling. It appeared that he carried on his business without a license, having neglected to renew the one which he previously held.

REDFERN POLICE COURT.

On Monday, before Mr. Dillon, S.M., *James Turner*, for neglecting to pay his fare on the tram, was fined 40s., or seven days.

James Money was charged with stealing a horse, cab, and harness, the property of Edward Davies. The evidence showed that Money had purchased the cab, &c., from a Mr. Dalwood, and was to pay £1 per week for two years. After paying £72 he fell into arrears. Mr. Dalwood then regained possession of the cab and sold it to the present prosecutor. Prisoner was committed for trial.

Twenty cases of small debts were disposed of.

ST. LEONARDS POLICE COURT.

Yesterday, before Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., *Frederick Smith*, for furious driving, was fined £2 and costs, or one month in gaol. *James Little*, for stealing two bottles of beer, was sent to gaol for 14 days. *William Sparkes*, for cruelty to a cow, was ordered to be imprisoned for 14 days without the option of a fine. *John Munro*, charged with indecent behaviour, was fined £2 and cost, in default one month in gaol. *I. Mardock*, an Indian, for obscene language, was fined 20s., in default 14 days' imprisonment.

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THE DIVORCE SUIT—HORWITZ v. HORWITZ and SOLOMON.

The divorce suit of Horwitz v. Horwitz and Solomon was resumed at the Darlinghurst Court yesterday morning, before Mr. Justice Windeyer.

His HONOR, in summing up, said that this was a case of great importance to both parties—to the man whose wife's affections had been so far alienated from him that she had bestowed them elsewhere; and also to the respondent, for she would be deprived of her home, her happiness, and her children. The jury should weigh every point in this case with the gravest consideration, and they must decide nothing on mere suspicion. It was not enough in cases of this kind to be guided by mere suspicion. They must be convinced beyond all reasonable doubt that the facts were such that they would do violence to their common sense if they were not guided by those facts. His Honor then briefly sketched the leading features of the evidence. It appeared that the parties were married in 1877, after a few days' acquaintance, and their case was only another illustration of the proverb "Marry in haste and repent at leisure." A day or two afterwards they came to Sydney, and here, at the very outset of the case, there was a very violent disagreement between the two principal parties. The petitioner said that their married life was marred by nothing more than an occasional tiff, but generally their married life was a happy one. On the other hand, the respondent said that on the very first day of their marriage she was conscious that she had made a mistake, and that their married life did not promise to be a happy one. She then detailed a series of acts on the part of the petitioner which constituted cruelty not only in the legal meaning, but also in the ordinary acceptation of the term. These acts of cruelty, however, were denied by the petitioner, and that would be one of the most important portions of the case to be inquired into. Coming to the introduction of the co-respondent into the family of the Horwitzes, it appeared that the co-respondent was introduced into the family by the brother of the petitioner. There did not appear to be any disagreement until one night when they were at the theatre, the petitioner, so he said, observed that the co-respondent was too familiar with his wife, and that he forbade the co-respondent coming to his house any more. Whether he told that to Solomon or not, there was no doubt that the latter was aware that he was not regarded in a friendly way by Horwitz, and he ceased to visit Horwitz's house, except at the invitation of Mrs. Horwitz. Solomon and the respondent then became on very intimate terms, and it was admitted that they had gone out from day to day, driving and walking with each other under circumstances of secrecy, that they took all the precautions they could to keep their meetings secret from the husband, and that they were on such terms of intimacy as to address each other in the most familiar way, and in terms of the fondest endearment. Nothing of this, however, came to the husband's knowledge until the 15th March, when a quarrel took place between them. On the morning of that date Horwitz, according to his account, was returning from his bath, when he happened to catch sight of Solomon at his window talking on his fingers. On going into his own room he saw his wife standing at the window in her chemise and talking on her fingers. He was so annoyed with her, and with her insolent behaviour towards him, that he slapped her face; but that when she explained that she was making signs to her sister, who also lived opposite, he accepted her explanation. Upon this point there was another conflict of testimony. The respondent said that her husband cruelly ill-treated her, wrenched her false teeth out of her mouth, locked them up in a wardrobe and went away with the keys in his pocket. The husband denied having done this, and explained that the teeth were usually kept in another place, and that if he locked the wardrobe, he did not intentionally lock the teeth in. Steps, however, were taken by Mrs. Horwitz to have the locks opened, and she also placed herself in communication with Mr. Holdsworth, the solicitor, to whom she made a complaint of cruelty on the part of her husband. She eventually left the house and went to stay at the Royal Hotel, where it was proved that she was again in communication with Solomon, and that at the same time negotiations were carried on between Mrs. Horwitz and her husband as to her going to Melbourne, where her husband had already gone. Solomon next disappeared from the scene, and Mrs. Horwitz inserted an advertisement in the Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, and Hobart papers, seeking knowledge of his whereabouts. She succeeded in finding him out, and then followed a series of telegrams from the respondent to the co-respondent, which undoubtedly breathed the most passionate attachment. It was for the jury to say whether those telegrams were, under such circumstances, such telegrams as would pass between a young man and a married woman who were fond of each other, but who would not be guilty of immoral intimacy. Was this driving about the result of the innocent pleasure which two young people derived from each other's society, or did they associate with each other under circumstances that favoured the assumption that their attachment was not of an innocent nature? There could be no doubt that these two people had plenty of opportunities for immoral intercourse if that had been the object of their meetings. They were found sitting on rocks in the daytime, and they admitted that they had visited the same lonely locality together at night time. Was this all mere romantic business? Whatever might have been the terms of their intimacy, there seemed to have been an agreement to part, and it was to be deplored that, once they had parted, Mrs. Horwitz had not been content to have let their intimacy end there, instead of calling him back. Besides these telegrams, there was evidence as to improper conduct at the Royal Hotel under such circumstances that the jury were asked to infer that adultery had been committed. The principal evidence on this point was that of Margaret M'Laren, the nurse, who, it would appear, had undergone a change of front. It would appear that at one time she was a servant sympathising with an injured mistress, but that for some reason or other she subsequently took a different view of the matter and detailed circumstances against her mistress. The story told by Margaret M'Laren was that she used to see Solomon with Mrs. Horwitz in the sitting room at the hotel up to a late hour in the night. It was represented by counsel that this story was improbable upon the face of it, because it was remarkable that she should always go to bed when Solomon came to the hotel, and always wake up and find him there. It was certainly remarkable that a respectable woman, as Margaret M'Laren claimed to be, could witness all this conduct on the part of a married lady, and then say that she suspected her mistress. Another portion of the evidence strongly relied upon by the petitioner was that in reference to the incident at the hotel at Sandringham. They drove out to Sandringham in a closed carriage, having previously taken care to see that the blinds were down; and when they got to the hotel they engaged a sitting-room and a bedroom. Before lunch they went into the bedroom. But the portion that the petitioner relied upon was that in reference to what took place after lunch. They admitted that they were in the bedroom together, and it was admitted that that was a most improper thing; but it was a matter for the jury to decide whether from the circumstances the conclusion was irresistible that adultery was committed in the room. One of the servants swore that the bed was disordered, as if somebody had been lying upon it, and this was accounted for by the explanation on the part of the respondent that she sat on the edge of the bed while she was wiping her hands, and on the part of co-respondent that he had a headache and lay down on the bed. It was also put forward by the counsel for the co-respondent that, however indelicate the respondent might have been in going into the room, she was roused to a full sense of the impropriety of her conduct when Solomon lay down on the bed, and that she then went out of the room. It was not necessary that the jury should fix any special occasion upon which adultery had been committed, but it would be sufficient that they should be convinced that adultery did take place at some time, even if they could not fix the particular time and place. In reply to this charge of adultery there was a plea of condonation. To prove condonation it was necessary to prove forgiveness of an offence after an offence had been committed. It was for the jury to decide whether, at the time Mr. Horwitz consorted with his wife at Melbourne and Wagga, he knew, or had reason to believe, that adultery had taken place. It was for the respondent to establish that plea, and to remove any doubt in the mind of the jury as to whether the husband had condoned the offence after he had reason to believe that adultery had been committed. With regard to the charge of cruelty, they had a series of acts of cruelty detailed by the respondent. The petitioner had gone through the respondent's evidence piece by piece, and denied categorically that any one of these acts of cruelty had ever occurred. The witnesses called to prove that they had seen evidences of cruelty were Mrs. Rosenfeldt and Miss Marks. It had been said that they were her sisters, and therefore interested in defending Mrs. Horwitz in this peculiar position which she now occupied; but on the other hand, had she not called her sisters that fact would most certainly have been used against her. Both these sisters corroborated Mrs. Horwitz's account, and they explained that they did not take steps to prevent the continuation of this cruelty because they were afraid that it would only aggravate Mr. Horwitz and make matters worse. In contradiction of the story of these witnesses they had the evidence of Margaret M'Laren, and it was for the jury to say what value they attached to that witness' evidence. There could be very little doubt that at one time she was a sympathiser with Mrs. Horwitz, and she accounted for that by saying that she believed the story which Mrs. Horwitz told her; but there was the evidence of several witnesses that Margaret M'Laren had told them that Mrs. Horwitz led a very unhappy life with her husband. This same witness also came into conflict with Rosenfeldt, and it was for the jury to say whether the evidence of Rosenfeldt was reliable. He was an impulsive man, but that would be no argument that he would be unreliable, and the circumstances led to the conclusion that he had acted in the way that an honourable man and one anxious for the honour of the family would act, by endeavouring to find out the truth of the whole of these statements about his sister-in-law. There was also the evidence of the servants who found Mrs. Horwitz lying in the hall, and when they told Mr. Horwitz about it he did not seem to display any anxiety about his wife's sudden illness. On the other hand they had the evidence of 12 servants in addition to Margaret M'Laren, and they swore that during the whole of the time they were in Horwitz's house, their experience extending altogether over several years, they never saw any instances of cruelty, but, on the contrary, they saw frequent instances of the very affectionate relations between Horwitz and his wife. These accounts in reference to the alleged cruelty were, it would be seen, in direct contradiction of the evidence of these servants, and it would be for the jury to say on which side the balance of testimony lay. He would here point out that as it was necessary for the petitioner to prove adultery beyond reasonable doubt, so it was necessary for the respondent to prove the cruelty beyond reasonable doubt. If there was such a conflict of testimony on the question of cruelty that the jury had doubts as to the truth of that charge of cruelty, they should give the petitioner the benefit of that doubt. The next question to consider was the counter charge of adultery; and upon that point they had only the evidence of Mrs. Horwitz, who said that she had found out that her husband was guilty of adultery with some woman in Goulburn-street, by whom he had an illegitimate child, and that she employed a servant named Carry to find out the particulars. Upon that point they had the positive evidence of Caroline Martin, who swore that she never before heard anything about this matter, and there was evidence given to show that this was the only Carry which Mrs. Horwitz ever had as a servant while she was living at Forest Lodge. He would ask the jury to dismiss from their minds the question of the disposal of the damages. They should decide upon the merits of the case, irrespective of the manner in which any of the damages might be appropriated. Damages in a case of this kind were not given as they used to be given to the husband, but they now passed into the hands of the Court, and the mode of their distribution had to be settled by the Court. Sometimes they were settled upon the wife, and sometimes upon the wife and children, and the co-respondent was thus compelled to make provision for the wife they had wronged. In considering these damages, if the jury came to the question of damages at all, they would have to consider what injury the petitioner had really sustained. If a wife and husband were living together unhappily, and on such terms that the husband lost nothing by his wife committing adultery, the damages would be very different from those awarded in a case in which husband and wife lived happily together, and the peace of their home was invaded by the co-respondent. So, if a wife met a man half-way, and was more of the seducing party than he was, his conduct would not be as bad as if he resorted to a long process of treachery or design to overcome the scruples of a virtuous woman. He besought the jury to adhere steadily to the facts independent of all the surroundings of the case, and to decide the case upon the evidence only, and with the assistance of their experience as men of the world.

The jury retired at 10 minutes to 1 o'clock. At 10 minutes to 5 o'clock they came into court, and requested the Judge to further explain the legal meaning of cruelty. The Judge quoted from Brown's "Law and Practice in Divorce," and explained that mere insulting words or neglect would not constitute cruelty, but that violence, or threats of violence, such as would make the wife apprehensive of injury, would constitute cruelty in the eyes of the law.

The jury again retired, and at 5 o'clock returned into court, and the foreman announced that they agreed to a verdict in favour of the petitioner on all the issues, viz.:—1. Whether Mrs. Horwitz committed adultery with Solomon between the 5th December, 1882, and the 5th April, 1883, at Sandringham, Sans Souci, La Perouse, or other places in or near Sydney, or at the Royal Hotel, Sydney? Yes. 2. Whether the petitioner, Michael Henry Horwitz, committed adultery with a person unknown, at a house in Goulburn-street, between 20th January, 1878, and the 1st January, 1879? No. 3. Whether the petitioner condoned the adultery charged against Mrs. Horwitz? No. 4. Whether the petitioner had been guilty of cruelty towards the respondent, Mrs. Horwitz? No. The jury also gave damages against the co-respondent for £5000.

The foreman of the jury desired specially to thank the Sheriff, or whoever the officer might be who was responsible for the attendance which the jury had received.

His HONOR said that they were indebted to the Sheriff for the present excellent arrangements for supplying them with luncheon and other attendance, and he could only wish that the same arrangements could be carried out in other parts of the country.

The Court then rose.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.

The City Coroner concluded the inquest at his chambers yesterday on the body of the unfortunate man Thomas Bourke, who died at the hospital on Thursday last from the effect of injuries received through being knocked down by a tram in Liverpool-street on Tuesday evening last. Mr. T. M. Slattery appeared on behalf of the relatives of the deceased, and Mr. Gannon and Mr. J. W. Tyter appeared to watch the proceedings in the interests of the tramway authorities. Ann Bourke, residing at 20, Brisbane-street, deposed that the deceased was her husband, and was 71 years of age; he was a tailor by trade, had been 42 years in the colony, and had left a family of three children; she had no personal knowledge of the circumstances connected with his death. Charles Harris, residing at 78, Brisbane-street, deposed that he knew the deceased; on Tuesday evening last witness crossed the tram line in Liverpool-street from Hyde Park to the southern side of the street, and as he was doing so he noticed a tram take its departure from Brisbane-street, as soon as witness reached the kerb in Liverpool-street, he looked round and saw the deceased crossing the line; the tram was not two yards from him; witness then heard an exclamation from the deceased, and saw nothing more of him until he saw him under the last car; he assisted to get the deceased out, and he was placed in a cab and taken to the hospital; there was a light on the motor, but witness could not say whether there was a man on the look-out at the time; he thought the tram was going at the rate of eight miles an hour; the whistle was blown when the tram left Brisbane-street, but witness did not hear it again before the deceased was knocked down; deceased was insensible when taken out. By Mr. Slattery: The spot where the accident occurred had been the only crossing for two or three weeks in consequence of repairs being made to the street; there were lights along the line; witness barely cleared himself from the tram. Dr. Muskett, house-surgeon at the Sydney Hospital, gave evidence to the effect that the cause of death was internal hemorrhage caused by external violence. Thomas Richardson, cabman residing at Waterloo, deposed that on the evening of the accident he was near the Cambridge Club Hotel and saw the deceased and others crossing the line; the tram was about three or four yards from them, and they made a rush to get across the line, but the deceased was knocked down; the motor was pulled up in four or five yards after the accident; the fireman was on the look out, and the train was going about six miles an hour; sleepers were laid down on the crossing where the deceased went over. By Mr. Slattery: The street was torn up for the purpose of laying blocks; the street was blocked up with cubes, except at the crossing; witness might have said the tram was going too fast round the corner. Thomas Cressmer, night watchman, employed by the contractors on the line, deposed that he was standing in front of the Cambridge Club Hotel on the evening of the accident; he saw three men crossing the line; the tram was two or three yards from them, and they made a rush to get across; two of the men succeeded in crossing, but the deceased, who was the third, did not seem to hurry himself; the fireman on the motor shouted out to him several times; the motor struck him and knocked him down; the fireman also attempted to catch hold of him, but failed to do so; the tram was pulled up within three or four yards after knocking the deceased down; the tram was not going more than three or four miles an hour; witness could have walked as fast; there was a light in front of the motor. By Mr. Slattery: The boards were in the same state on Thursday night as they were on the night of the accident; the crossing was composed of flat boards and not round sleepers; there was no one the lookout after the traffic at this particular crossing. William Fountain deposed that he was the fireman on the tram which left Waverley at 11 minutes past 5 o'clock on Tuesday evening last; when the tram turned into Liverpool-street he noticed some persons standing between the outer rail and the kerb, calling out at the same time he noticed the deceased start to run across the line; the tram was going about four miles an hour at the time; he called out to the deceased and attempted to catch him, but failed to do so; the motor struck the deceased, and he fell between the rails; witness also called out to the driver to stop; the engine was reversed and the tram was brought to a stand within three or four yards; it might have been five yards, but not more; it was not possible to have brought the tram to a stand, so as to have avoided the accident. By Mr. Slattery: There was no cow-catcher on the motor; deceased might have fallen upon it had there been one. Henry Hendy, engine-driver of the tram, gave evidence to the effect that immediately he heard the fireman shout, he reversed the engine and applied the brake, and the tram was brought to a standstill within four or five yards; he was then told that a man had been knocked down between the rails, and he got off and saw the deceased. Witness was cross-examined at some length. Evidence was also given by James Joyce, commission agent, after which the jury found a verdict to the effect that the deceased died from the effect of injuries accidentally received through being knocked down by a motor while attempting to cross the tram line, near Liverpool-street, and that there was no blame attachable to the driver or fireman. A rider was also added to the verdict to the effect that they were of opinion that due provision had not been made by the contractors for laying down the pavement in Oxford-street for pedestrians in crossing from College-street to the southern side of Liverpool-street.

The City Coroner also held an inquest at the South Sydney Morgue yesterday afternoon, on the body of a man named Alfred Skinner, who was found drowned in a waterhole underneath a bridge on the Botany-road, Waterloo, on Monday, by a man named Thomas Booth. The evidence showed that the deceased retired to bed as usual about 10 p.m. on the 16th instant, but rose and went out early on the following morning. He left a note on his table addressed to his father-in-law, Mr. Henry Booth, with whom he was staying, stating that he intended to do away with himself, owing to certain domestic troubles, and further stating where his body could be found. A post-mortem examination of the body was made by Dr. Milford, who gave evidence to the effect that the deceased's brain was much diseased. The jury, after hearing the evidence, found that the deceased died from suffocation by drowning, and that the drowning was his own act.

EPPS' COCOA.—Grateful and Comforting.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage, which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.—Made simply with boiling water or milk.—Sold only in packets labelled—"James Epps and Co., homoeopathic chemists, London."—Also makers of Epps' chocolate essence.—[ADVT.]

"NEW LAMPS FOR OLD ONES!" (vide Aladdin and Judson).—Re-dye everything with Judson's dyes. Re-gild your picture frames with Judson's Gold Paint. Re-black your fenders, stoves, &c., with Judson's Artists' Black. Sold by chemists, stationers, and storekeepers everywhere.—[ADVT.]

LAW OF LIBEL AND CONTEMPT OF COURT.

A public meeting was held last evening in the Council-chambers, Camperdown, to consider the law of libel and contempt of Court. The Mayor of Camperdown, Mr. Robert Thomson, occupied the chair, there being present, among others, Aldermen Sparkes, Cruikshanks, Beale, and M'Grath, Messrs. J. J. Leslie, Clarke, S. King, F. R. Rossitter, W. Wells, Daly, and J. Larkins, jun. An apology for absence was received from Mr. J. Mitchell, M.L.A.

The CHAIRMAN having read the advertisement calling the meeting, said that the subject which it had been called to consider was a matter of very great importance, and the fact of it being taken up so warmly in the city and in so many of the suburbs, and, in fact, throughout the colony, showed that the public mind was thoroughly convinced that a reformation should take place in this particular. They were aware that for this last two years or so there had been several cases which had come before the public in reference to newspapers, in which the newspaper had taken up questions of very great importance, such as the *Bulletin's* exposure of the scenes at Clontarf, and the public were thoroughly convinced that the papers which took them up were thoroughly justified in all they said, and yet they were punished for the action they had taken. Very lately they had had an illustration of this defect in the law. He did not presume to dictate in reference to matters of law, but at the same time, after listening to speeches of those who had spoken on the subject, and what had passed through the press, not only with reference to the meetings in the city and the suburbs but throughout the colony, he felt there was a gross error which should be removed. Such meetings as were being now held throughout the colony showed that there was a positive sympathy with the press, and he had no doubt every individual present was convinced that it was time something should be done in this matter. (Applause.)

Mr. Alderman SPARKES moved the first resolution,—"That in the opinion of this meeting the laws relating to libel as affecting the press require to be clearly defined by special enactment, and so modified as to discourage merely speculative actions, and to relieve newspaper proprietors from the necessity of proving minor details when it is proved to the satisfaction of a jury that their strictures have been, broadly speaking, true, without malice and for the public benefit." This was a matter which affected the whole of the people throughout the length and breadth of the colony, and he maintained that it was the place and privilege of the people to come forward and protect the press, which defended their rights. The press of New South Wales he believed to be second to none in the Australian colonies, and able to hold its own against that in any other of her Majesty's dominions, and the people of this colony had reason to be proud of the noble stand the press had taken in their interests from time to time. With reference to the power of the Judges to commit for contempt of Court, he thought that for the persons who appeared as accusers to be also the persons who judged and condemned, was opposed to the spirit of British fair play. The proprietors of any newspaper so charged should be sent before a jury to be tried, as in the case of any ordinary action at law. They were not there that night to sympathise with any particular newspaper, but to sympathise with the press as a whole as the representative of the public, as that which upheld and defended the rights and privileges of the people. If the press were to be impeded and gagged, and the public thus prevented from knowing what happened in the public institutions and in the various departments of life, how could they feel that security which could only be obtained by the vigilance of a free press? Also the press was the great teacher of the public, as the Public schools were those of the children. He might state that the scenes which had been described in the *Bulletin* as happening at Clontarf, and for exposing which the proprietors were ultimately imprisoned, were similar to such as he had himself witnessed; and yet it was attempted to crush this paper for letting the public know what was going on, the authorities having failed to take the abuse in hand, and having closed their eyes to these disgraceful scenes—scenes which prevented the wives and families of respectable people from going down the harbour to spend a day in pleasure. He thought it should be clearly defined, by special enactment, what constituted and what did not constitute a libel, and that it should not be put in the hands of any Judge whatever, who might possibly be but a political mountebank, to determine so important a question, affecting the liberties of the whole people. It was notorious that some of the Judges who had occupied seats on the Bench in this colony had been leaders of the Opposition in the House, and having obstructed the party in power, had been removed to the Bench where they would no longer be a nuisance to the Government then in existence. In no other country in the world, he believed, could it be said as it could of New South Wales that it had had on its Bench of Judges men who had been a failure at the Bar. In the old country the Judges were a credit to the Bench—men who had reached the highest position as advocates, and who had proved themselves learned in the law; but here we have had men who, unsuccessful as barristers, were yet thought good enough to hold the positions of Judges and to administer justice. Such a state of affairs he was strongly opposed to. Those who occupied the judicial bench should be men not raised to that position for political reasons, but men who were worthy of the office as being skilled in the practice of the law and versed in the administration of justice. (Hear, hear.) He thought that public opinion was directly opposed to the action of Sir James Martin in regard to this last libel case. The cases quoted by his Honor as parallel with this one had little application to it. One of them had reference to the Tichborne case; but in that instance it should be remembered that comment was made upon the case while it was *sub judice*, and was likely to mislead the jury. A paper had no right to make such comments at such a time. They found, however, that the case of the *Herald* had been settled by a jury. The *Herald* had responded to the invitation to send its reporter to this institution, and when it reported upon certain facts the Government stepped in, and thus it was shown that there was something very peculiar going on at this place. He maintained that all honour was due to the press. In a free country like this they must have a free press, and if they had such a one they must give it their support. It should be as free as the air they breathed, and to make it so they must stand by it and see that justice was done to it. He did not believe that the press here wanted anything more than was fair. What was desired was that it should be taken out of the power of any Judge to mulct any proprietor of any newspaper in any sum he chose without his having the advantages of a trial by jury. The case of such a person ought to be tried by a jury, and he was sure that if the *Herald* case had been tried by a jury the decision would be different from what it was. The press was one of the greatest boons—one of the greatest links of freedom—the British people ever had, and he hoped it would last as long as they would. In the present instance he believed it had dealt with a most glaring abuse. It now asked simply for the same privileges as were enjoyed by the press of England—that was, the right to comment upon the actions of public men, to expose public abuses, and to have the advantages of a fair trial if it were charged with contempt of Court. When it spoke out boldly on behalf the people they should stand by it. Indeed, he had confidence that Parliament would, when it met, bring in a bill that would meet the views of the people on this subject, and would also do the press justice.

Mr. J. T. FINLAY seconded the motion. He did so with a great deal of pleasure, because he believed that great injustice had been done in dealing with the proprietors of the *Herald* in such a summary way, and in a Judge acting as a Judge and jury in their case.

Mr. R. A. PRICE supported the motion. He had much pleasure in being present, and he thought that the people of Camperdown deserved credit for their promptness in dealing with this matter. There was no doubt that a cry had been raised by the people, who now felt that their liberties were at stake, and were desirous of preserving them; and there was a knowledge amongst them also that their liberties were analagous to the liberties of the press. If the press had done a great public service, as he maintained it had, they should not permit it to be trampled on, but should give it their sympathy and assistance. On behalf of the people it had to expose log-rolling, and deal with the evils of a Civil service being too large for the requirements of the colony, and if it were not permitted to exercise its legitimate functions, he would like to know how, in regard to these matters, it was to protect the people. The libel law, as it at present stood, was opposed to the interests of purity of public life and the freedom of the people. The press had no desire for undue liberty, such as might degenerate into scurrility and licentiousness, but only that just and proper liberty which would leave it free to expose glaring abuses and flagrant breaches of trust. He dwelt upon the subject of speculative actions, of which, as the law now stood, newspaper proprietors were made the prey. It should be the law that if an article written for the public benefit, such as a criticism of a charitable institution, of the actions of a public man, and so on, were true in the main, and a benefit to the country, it should be sufficient, and no action in law should lie. (Applause.)

The resolution was carried unanimously.

Alderman CULBERT proposed the next resolution,—"That the powers at present exercised by the Judges in dealing with charges of contempt of Court, should be so defined that the guilt or innocence of the accused shall be determined by a jury, excepting always misconduct within the precincts of a Court whilst a Judge is sitting." He thought it was quite evident that the law of libel and contempt of Court required to be amended, and he was pleased to see the matter so warmly taken up. He thought no such power as that given to the Judges in cases of contempt of court, and as exercised lately, should be trusted in the hands of any one or two men. People in a free country should have their press as free as possible, for what would the people know of the workings of the public institutions but for the press? (Applause.) And were it not for it many things which might prejudicially affect the country would be hid away. (Applause.)

Alderman M'GRATH seconded the motion, and said that there was no doubt that the method of trial by jury in regard to all cases was the best they could insist upon.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Alderman J. H. BEALE moved,—"That in any revision of the laws relating to libel, distinct provision should be made to adjust costs to the intention of the verdict; and that a memorial embodying the foregoing resolutions be drawn up and presented (by deputation) to the Government; also, that petitions to Parliament be prepared for presentation." He was not there to find fault with the Judges, but to find fault with the people, who had tolerated this kind of thing so long. There was no doubt that as the law existed, so the Judges had to apply it; but if the people tolerated it any longer, and suffered from it, it was their own fault. There had been an infringement upon his liberty, and upon the liberty of every man. They could not be too jealous of maintaining their liberties and in preserving also those of the press, and in preventing anything in their midst in the shape of a despotic Government. It was a strange thing to him that this system of allowing a Judge to act as Judge and jury had existed so long in the midst of a people who were always boasting of their freedom. He was glad to see that the matter was now being so warmly taken up, but he was sorry that a similar spirit had not been evinced before.

Alderman CRUICKSHANK seconded the motion. He was a great reader and a great lover of the press, and he was sorry that the law should be so hard upon it. It was one of their principal institutions, and he hoped—indeed, he had no doubt—that before long the law with regard to it would be altered. He was prepared to admit that it should be kept within bounds, but he did not think it should be crushed, for it was a great benefit to them. He thought the Camperdown people had done quite right in meeting thus, and in showing their sympathy with the press.

The motion was carried unanimously.

The chairman was then thanked for his services, and the meeting terminated.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following notifications appear in yesterday's *Gazette*:—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—His Excellency the Governor has, with the advice of the Executive Council, in her Majesty's name, summoned the undermentioned gentlemen to the Legislative Council of New South Wales, by writs of summons under the Great Seal of the colony, viz.:—Robert Palmer Abbott, J.P., of Manly; Henry Carey Dangar, of Grantham, Potts Point; Alexander Gordon, Q.C., of Woollahra; Archibald Hamilton Jacob, J.P., of Westhorpe, Ashfield; James Henry Neale, J.P., of Potts Point, Sydney; and John Nagle Ryan, J.P., of Galong, Burrowa.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The date of holding the Circuit Court at Grafton has been altered from the 19th to the 26th October next.

GOLDFIELD.—107 acres in the county of Wynyard, parish of Humula, have been proclaimed an extension of the Humula goldfield.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. Nicholas Lockyer to be acting inspector of Public Revenue Collectors' Accounts; Sergeant Bennett Bennett to be sub-inspector under the Licensing Act of 1882, for the licensing district of Kempsey, instead of district inspector as notified in *Government Gazette* of 3rd ultimo, No. 325; Mr. Austen Albert Walker to be a probationer on the permanent staff of the Lands' Department; Mr. Montagu Samuel Machen to be Crown Lands' Agent at Gundagai—vice Mr. C. W. Weekes; Mr. Charles John Hutton, to be Crown Lands Agent at Corowa, vice Mr. A. H. Kennedy; Mr. John Richard Linsley to be an assistant Crown Lands Agent; Mr. Reginald W. H. Stone to be a clerk in the department of Mines; Senior-constable O'Connell to be bailiff of the Warden's Court at Mount Gipps; Mr. James Ward, at present forest ranger, to be an assistant forest ranger; Mr. Edward W. Bramble, clerk in the head telegraph office, to be an operator, vice Clay.

SAVINGS BANK.—Messrs. Charles Somerville Alexander, P.M., William Carter Harris, and Henry Shuttleworth Gannon to be additional district trustees of the Goulburn Branch of the Savings Bank of New South Wales; and Messrs. Donald Campbell, George Read, J.P., and Thomas Barnes to be additional district trustees of the Scone Branch.

GENERAL CEMETERIES.—The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed trustees of portions of general cemeteries:—West Ballina—Roman Catholic: Right Rev. Elzear Torreggiani, D.D., Very Rev. J. J. Doyle, Messrs. John O'Connor, Owen M'Donough, and James O'Connor. Wesleyan: The Revs. George Hurst, William Clarke, William Kelynack, George Woolnough, George Lane. Church of England: The Right Rev. J. F. Turner. Jews: George Judah Cohen, J.P., as a trustee in the room of the late George Myers. Inverell—Church of England: Messrs. James Harvey Hindmarsh, J.P., George T. T. Butler, J.P., William C. Cardew, Thomas H. Marks, and William Knapton. Presbyterian: Messrs. John Wilberforce Fraser, John Sinclair, J.P., Hugh Munro, Thomas Mather, James M'Ilveen, and Charles C. Loxton. General: Messrs. James H. Hindmarsh, J.P., George T. T. Butler, J.P., George Woods, John Sinclair, J.P., and William J. Gilmour. Piliga—Right Rev. James Murray, D.D., Very Rev. T. English, V.G., Messrs. William Thurlow, Matthew Buckley, John Peoples, John. W. Ryan, Thomas F. O'Keeffe. Wardell—Roman Catholic: Right Rev. Elzear Torreggiani, D.D., Very Rev. J. J. Doyle, Messrs. John O'Connor, Owen M'Donough, John Sexton. Coolamingal—Wesleyan: The Revs. George Hurst, William Clarke, William Kelynack, George Woolnough, George Lane; Samuel M'Naughton, as a trustee of the portion of the General Cemetery at Rocky Mouth (Maclean), set apart for Presbyterian burial ground, in the room of the late Alexander Cameron.

TRUSTEES.—The Municipal Council of Campbelltown is vested with the land at that place, area 2 acres 2 roods 25 perches, dedicated on the 4th February, 1876, for public recreation, the former trustees having resigned; the undermentioned gentlemen as trustees of the land at Armidale, being allotments Nos. 6 and 7 of section No. 36, dedicated on the 8th January, 1875, as a site for Church of England church, viz.:—Messrs. John Moore, [?] Whitby Simpson, William Henry Mutlow, George Allingham, and John Bliss.

MARRIAGES.—The Rev. Hermann Herlitz, of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Darlinghurst-road, Woolloomooloo, has been registered for the celebration of marriages.

ACCEPTED TENDER.—The undermentioned tender has been accepted by the Government, viz.:—Messrs. White and Coghill—*the erection of station-buildings, &c.*, at Black Mountains, Great Northern Railway.

MERCHANTMEN'S COLOURS.

Some short time back three or four Australian-owned vessels arrived in Port Jackson flying colours at the peak which, according to the Merchant Shipping Act, are forbidden to be worn by any British registered vessel. In three out of four cases referred to the flag shown was that which has been informally recognised by many people of this colony as the "Australian" flag, and by others as colours belonging to New South Wales alone. The ground is white, with the "Jack" in the corner, two blue bars running across the flag at right angles, and five blue stars on the ground; in fact, from a distance it might easily be taken for the white ensign worn by her Majesty's men-of-war, the only difference being that in the latter the bars are red, and there are no stars. The Victorians have been even more progressive in regard to this matter than the people of this colony, as they have recognised in statutes passed by their Parliament the flag which is now worn by many vessels owned and registered in Victoria. The only difference between this banner and the flag authorised to be worn by British merchant vessels which is the red ensign, is that there are five white stars on the body of the flag. Those shipmasters who have been guilty of this breach of the law have been visited by a boat's crew from H.M.S. Nelson, and the bunting referred to has, in accordance with instructions from Commodore Erskine, been hauled down; the masters of the vessels, we believe, in most of the cases pleading that they were unaware that they were guilty of a breach of the law. In order to prevent unpleasantness arising in the future, it will be well for masters of British or Australian registered ships to hoist no other than the red ensign unless they have special authority to do so. Only yesterday the master of a ship was compelled to haul down a flag that has never been recognised. It would also be well for shipmasters to remember that British men-of-war are bound to render all assistance in their power to British registered vessels, but they need pay no heed whatever to vessels flying flags which have never been recognised. The Union Jack is a pretty old piece of bunting. Its history, if not written with a pen of a diamond in a rock for ever, is likely to remain with British people wheresoever they may be as a proud heritage.

The following is a copy of a letter which was sent by Commodore Erskine to the master of a barque which was flying the Victorian colours:—

"H.M.S. Nelson, 31st August, 1883.

"Sir,—Having observed that you have displayed at the peak of the ship you command colours which are not authorised by the 105th section of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, I have to request you to inform me whether you have a warrant from her Majesty or from the Admiralty for hoisting any other colours than the red ensign usually worn by British merchant ships. 2. In the event of your holding no warrant for hoisting these colours, I have the honour to request you to discontinue the hoisting of them as an ensign, in order that I may not be under the necessity of taking further steps in the matter, in accordance with the instructions laid down in the aforesaid paragraph of the Merchant Shipping Act.

"I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

"JAMES E. ERSKINE, Commodore."

The following is the 105th section of the Merchant Shipping Act of 1854:—"If any colours usually worn by her Majesty's ships, or any colours resembling those of her Majesty, or any distinctive national colours, except the red ensign usually worn by merchant ships, or except the Union Jack with a white border, or if the pendant usually carried by her Majesty's ships, or any pendant in any wise such pendant, are or is used on board any ship or boat belonging to any subject of her Majesty, without warrant for so doing from her Majesty or the Admiralty, the master of such ship or boat, or the owner thereof if on board the same, and every other person hoisting, or joining, or assisting in hoisting the same, shall for every such offence incur a penalty not exceeding £500; and it shall be lawful for any officer on full pay in the military or naval service of her Majesty, or any British officer of the Customs, or any British consular officer, to board any such ship or boat, and take away any such jack, colours, or pendant; and such jack, colours, or pendant shall be forfeited to her Majesty."

A CURIOUS SUIT FOR LIBEL.—A libel suit, certainly extraordinary and probably unique, has just ended in Marshall, Missouri, United States. About a year ago a son of J. S. Potter went swimming in Blackwater Creek with Phillander Finley and Mart Beggs, and was drowned, his companions being the only witnesses. His father immediately accused them of drowning his son, and a total failure to prove his charge did not change his opinion. Accordingly he procured from J. A. Tipping, of St. Louis, and placed over his son's grave, a stone bearing this inscription:—"'Rock of Ages, cleft for me; let me hide myself in Thee.' Drowned by Phillander Finley and Mart Beggs." Finley and Beggs brought a suit for £500 damages, and obtained £160.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—September 17.

Prospector, barque, 285 tons, Captain Culmer, from Mercury Bay, N. Z., 25th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Culmer and family (3), Mrs. Young and daughter. J. C. Ellis, agent.

September 18.

Caracciolo, H.I.M.'s corvette, 8 guns, Captain Charles de Amezaga, from Callao, via Tahiti and Suva, Fiji.

Nemesis (s.), 1393 tons, Captain W. F. Deary, from Melbourne 15th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. James, Mrs. Neil and child, Mrs. Dow, Mrs. T. Parker, Mrs. Quinan, Mrs. R. T. M'Rae and child, Mrs. Newman and infant, Mrs. Pasley and 3 children, Mrs. Rutledge and 2 boys, Mrs. Smith, Miss Smith, Miss G. Smith, Miss Hayes, Miss A. Cox, Miss Toy, Miss M'Cormick, Miss C. Denny, Miss Rutledge, Misses J. and A. Armytage, Messrs. C. Maddern, D. Cox, Booth, E. N. Pringle, Hannan, T. Feather, P. Fraser, T. Dodd, H. Mortimer, F. Jones, W. Scott, W. H. Pearce, J. Hopkins, F. Menzies, J. Edwards, H. E. Chambers, H. Major, J. H. Wilson, H. Wilks, and 18 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

Kiama (s.), 200 tons, Captain W. Baxter, from Moruya. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Gulf of Mexico (s.), 3172 tons, Captain O. J. Allan, from London July 10, Malta 21st, Port Said 25th, Aden 2nd August, Diego Garcia 13th August, Albany 1st instant, Adelaide 6th instant, and Melbourne 15th instant. Passengers—From London: Mrs. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Powell and family (4). From Melbourne: Mrs. a'Beckett and Son. For New Zealand: Mr. Moore. Young and Lark, agents.

Hunter (s.), 300 tons, Captain W. Firth, from Clyde River and Ulladulla. Passengers—Mrs. Tatin, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. Ritchson, Mrs. Harding, Miss Kelleher, Miss Taylor, Miss Wilson, Messrs. Wiseman, Farr, Southley, Castle, W. H. Kennedy, Atkins, and Captain Louden. I. S. N. Company, agents.

Yeoman (s.), 2226 tons, Captain E. J. Ilbery, from London July 12, Malta July 23, Port Said July 28, Suez July 31, Aden 6th ultimo, Diego Garcia, 7th ultimo, Adelaide 8th instant, and Melbourne 15th instant. Passengers—Dr. Wilson and 84 in the steerage. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents.

Aratapu, schooner, 122 tons, Captain Bower, from Kaipara, N. Z., 30th ultimo. R. T. Gibson, agent.

DEPARTURES.—September 18.

Illawarra, ship, for San Francisco.
City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.
Elamang (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports.
Burwah (s.), for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton.
Lady Franklin, schooner, for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—September 19.

R.M.S. Rosetta, for London, via Melbourne and Adelaide; Konoowarra (s.), for Melbourne; Wakatipu (s.), for Wellington and Southern ports of New Zealand; Glanworth (s.), for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton; Rosedale (s.), for Manning River; Murray (s.), for Port Macquarie; Fawn, brig, for Timaru, via Newcastle; Diamantina, schooner, for Townsville; Clyde, barque, for London.

CLEARANCES.—September 18.

Burwah (s.), 980 tons, Captain J. H. South, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. Conlon and infant, Mrs. Much, Mrs. J. Mullery, Miss L. D. Munro, Miss Silcock, Messrs. J. Mullery, J. Reid, C. E. George, J. E. S. Quinn, A. Barry, A. Hines, T. B. Holmes, W. Frasler, A. Baldeman, J. A. Collier, A. Anderson, Pettit, Salmond, J. Saunders, and 26 in the steerage.

City of Adelaide (s.), 1212 tons, Captain A. M'Intosh, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Fox, Mrs. Tuttett, Mrs. Cates and child, Miss Brast, Miss Tracey, Miss Howard, Messrs. A. Bell, Turner, and 19 in the steerage.

Elamang (s.), 916 tons, Captain W. J. Stuart, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Hecht, Mrs. Jack, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. H. S. Walsh, Miss Kennedy, Miss Evans, Miss Leebor, Dr. J. R. Lloyd, Messrs. Gordon Sandeman, Metcalfe, H. Brook, G. Jevers, D. Drybrough, P. Johnson, B. C. Kyngdon, Jack, H. Jones, Fraser, Asken, W. W. Vose, R. Weir, W. H. Swallow, D. Holden, T. A. Alexander, A. Sands, J. Hewitt, A. Loughnan, F. L. Barker, Shirving, E. Bogle, Greig, and 38 in the steerage.

Fawn, brig, 216 tons, Captain Dilliner, for Timaru, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

Diamantina, schooner, 235 tons, Captain M'Kenzie, for Townsville.

COASTERS INWARDS.—September 18.

Samoa, from Wreck Bay, with 55,000 feet timber; Pearl, from Mosquito Bay, with 25,000 feet timber; Adonis, from Richmond River, with 66,000 feet timber; Dairymaid, from Shellharbour, with sundries; Catherine, from Port Stephens, with 13,000 feet timber; William and Alexander, from Jervis Bay, with 40 logs; Victory, from Ballina, with 11,840 feet timber; Woonona, from Bulli, with 718 tons coal; Amphitrite, from Wreck Bay, with 62,000 feet pine; City of Brisbane (s.), from the Hunter, with 150 bales hay, 370 hides, 170 sacks coke, 16 cases eggs, 15 bags oysters, 25 cases washing powder, 40 cases biscuits, 15 sacks corn flour, 15 bales woolpacks, 70 pigs, 50 sacks bran, 10 bags bacon, 5 coops poultry, 15 packages wines and spirits, a quantity of luggage, and 32 packages sundries; Morpeth (s.), from Newcastle, with 165 bales wool, 75 bales hay, 6 bales skins, 225 hides, 25 bags bones, 12 bags maize, 17 bags oysters, 172 bags tin ore, 152 cases soap, 179 bags coke, 20 cans milk, 20 pigs, 30 baskets fish, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—September 18.

Dolphin, for Tweed River; Australian, for Clarence River; Murray, for Port Macquarie; Samoa, Amphitrite, for Wreck Bay; Pearl, for Mosquito Bay; Adonis, Lismore, Victory, for Richmond River; Dairymaid, for Shellharbour; William and Alexander, Catherine, for Jervis Bay; Woonona, for Bulli.

IMPORTS.—September 17.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Johan Irgens, from San Francisco: 2589 cases salmon, 1 case fruit, 282 half-barrels pickled salmon, 65 half-barrels herrings, 800 cases canned goods, 15 barrels syrup, 89 sacks coffee, 4284 bags barley, 1028 sugarpine doors, 1120 redwood doors, 20 bundles picture backing, 5 cases mantels, 293 bundles skirtings, 1829 bundles mouldings, 800 bundles shingles, and 25 portable houses.

Prospector, from Mercury Bay: 164,000 feet sawn and dressed kauri.

September 18.

Nemesis (s.), from Melbourne: 162 tram rails, 10 cases geneva, 11 bundles empty bags, 2 cases organs, 60 casks stout, 4500 bags chaff, 14 bales flock, 1000 stone cubes, 1498 staves, 160 bundles hay, 17 bags grass seeds, 171 bags onions, 1715 bags flour, 70 bags potatoes, 3 quarter-casks brandy, 6 packages machinery, 5 packages hardware, 22 packages groceries, 1 case show cards.

Yeoman (s.), from London: 44 cases, Caird, Petersen, and Co.; 7 cases, W. H. Paling; 2 cases, Professor Liversidge; 1 cask, T. H. Lawrie; 23 cases, A. Hordern and Sons; 4 cases, W. Auerbach; 1 case, Kerr and Co.; 3 cases, Hon. Colonial Treasurer; 9 cases, Lazarus, Rosenfeld, and Benjamin; 6 cases, W. Lowden and Co.; 1 case, Hewitt Brothers; 3 cases, E. O. Cree; 500 cases, Virgoe, Son, and Co.; 1 bale, S. Trapler; 7 tanks, 48 barrels, A. Lamb and Co.; 26 cases, Collins Brothers; 10 cases, L. Fuerth; 2 cases, Gibbs, Bright, and Co.; 3 packages, Alderson and Sons; 1 case, J. E. Pickles; 2 cases, W. S. Friend and Co.; 12 casks, 40 quarter-casks, 7 cases, Scott, Henderson, and Co.; 300 boxes, Bank of Australasia; 2 cases, J. Fraser and Co.; 2 cases, P. Garvin; 4 cases, 1 wheel, T. Thornton; 11 iron girders, 45 plates, D. and W. Robertson; 33 cases, Prince, Ogg, and Co.; 55 cases, 11 casks, S. Hoffnung and Co.; 3 cases, R. Pinney and Son; 6 cases, George Robertson; 3 bales, Dalton Brothers; 6 cases, E. Samuel; 1 case, E. Way; 3 cases, 40 kegs, 1 box, D. Storer and Son; 2 cases, Gordon and Gotch; 41 cases, C. Newton Brother and Co.; 5 cases, L. Henry; 1 case, F. Isles and Co.; 14 cases, Peapes and Shaw; 34 cases, 1 bale, Farleigh, Nettheim, and Co.; 27 cases, 6 bales, 1 truss, W. Gardiner and Co.; 5 cases, Alcock Brothers; 14 cases, A. Hordern and Sons; 29 cases, Precious, Doust, and Co.; 122 cases, 4 casks, J. Keep and Son; 64 cases, Feldheim, Gotthelf, and Co.; 32 cases, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.; 50 cases, 40 bales, H. Bull and Co.; 71 crates, J. T. Starkey; 190 packages, Farmer and Co.; 23 cases, Edwards, Dunlop, and Co.; 58 arms, 6 cylinders, 3 crates, 258 trunks, 10 barrels, 11 packages, 1 bed, 65 bales, 350 kegs, 16 tanks, 24 bundles, 7 piles, 1010 boxes, 47 casks, 40 quarter-casks, 160 drums, and 1900 cases sundries.

Gulf of Mexico (s.), from London: 42 bales, 75 tubes, 2 casks, J. Hawksford; 1 case, 48 bales, Eastway Brothers; 2 cases, Rev. J. Langley; 9 cases, J. Harrington; 2 cases, E. L. Yencken; 1 case, 13 crates, 5 cases, Australian Gaslight Company; 55 cases, W. S. Friend and Co.; 3 cases, B. Squire; 10 cases, Cowan and Co.; 1 case, R. Blair; 2 cases, Mathews; 16 packages, J. Meagher; 19 packages, Aitken Brothers; 2 casks, 119 wheels, 15 bundles, Topham, Angus, and Co.; 6 bales, 18 cases, 1 parcel, Gibbs, Bright, and Co.; 6 cases, George Robertson; 2 cases, J. W. Ellercamp; 1 case, R. Burton; 2 cases, 1 bale, C. Burnett; 1 case, 1 bale, Mrs. L. Mathews; 2 cases, M. Benjamin; 2 cases, J. S. Grehan; 13 packages, M'Arthur and Co.; 5 packages, J. and G. Barnes; 1 case, J. Richardson; 3 cases, 2 casks, J. T. Brown and Co.; 10 cases, 2 bales, Thompson and Giles; 10 casks, 1 case, E. L. Brown; 2 bales, 6 cases, 1 cask, Thomas Aitken; 1 case, Lazarus, Aronson, and Co.; 3 wheels, 1 engine, 5 cases, Tangye Brothers; 23 cases, 4 casks, 7 bales, Elliott Brothers; 18 cases, 5 bales, J. Brush and Co.; 11 casks, 4 cases, A. Binnie and Son; 17 cases, W. Gardiner and Co.; 5 cases, D. Regan; 10 cases, Cadbury Brothers; 4 cases, W. M. Coward; 1 case, B. Armstaedt and Co.; 19 cases, M. Lowden and Co.; 7 cases, A. Hordern and Sons; 8 cases, Crawshaw and Co.; 3 cases, L. Henry; 5 cases, F. Grimley; 10 kegs, 4 casks, M'Brair, Brothers, and Co.; 10 cases, J. Martin and Co.; 8 cases, B. Halbert; 4 cases, Coward and Temple; 5 cases, R. L. Tooth; 4 cases, Dalgety, Blackwood, and Co.; 13 cases, Myers and Solomon; 24 trunks, J. and R. Callaghan; 138 bales, 245 singles, A. Wilson; 1 case, W. C. Fullick; 34 trunks, E. Samuel and Co.; 1 bale, Wiseman Brothers; 107 cases, Harbottle, Biddulph, and Co.; 5 packages, C. P. Larcombe; 1 case, W. Lane; 13 cases, D. Wilson and Co.; 87 packages, Precious, Doust, and Co.; 27 cases, 1 cask, Holdsworth, M'Pherson, and Co.; 16 cases, 6 packages, Lazarus, Rosenfeld, and Co.; 51 cases, J. Gilchrist and Co.; 14 cases, J. Watt, jun., and Co.; 12 bales, 2 cases, Geo. Richardson; 1 case, Cowan and Co.; 5 cases, 1 cask, T. W. Eady and Son; 2 cases, Woodhill and Murray; 4 bales, 1 parcel, J. C. W. Hinsch; 16 cases, J. W. Small and Co.; 4 cases, Electric Telegraphs; 10 cases, 1 bale, Butler Brothers; 87 cases, 3 bundles, 1 truss, Alcock Brothers; 13 cases, Smith, Phillips, and Co.; 60 cases, 490 bundles, Learmonth, Dickinson, and Co.; 2 packages, Meakes and Fry; 13 cases, Plummer and Owen; 12 cases, F. Lassetter and Co.; 68 bars, 277 plates, 4 bundles, 48 kegs, 1 case, 10 casks, 60 kegs, Briscoe, Drysdale, and Co.; 21 cases, Hordern Brothers; 83 cases, 8 bales, Young and Lark; 134 casks, 7 bales, Prince, Ogg, and Co.; 15 cases, 24 bales, Wains and Reid; 212 cases, 23 bales, C. Newton Brother and Co.; 111 ploughshares, 68 bales, 136 bags, 10 anvils, 2 winches, 2 blocks, 44 casks, 74 cases, W. S. Friend and Co.; 44 cases, 24 bales, J. Lawler; 64 cases, 19 casks, 1 crate, 8 rolls, 2 bales, 10 trunks, 1 crate, D. Cohen and Co.; 26 cases, E. Way; 9 cases, L. Henry; 189 cases, 29 bales, A. M'Arthur and Co.; 12 cases, 6 castings, 2 boilers, 731 bars, 19 bundles, 18 trunks, 27 tanks, 260 boxes, 24 kegs, 16 crates, 9 bales, 60 casks, 20 half-casks, 40 rolls, 1562 cases, and 98 packages. Order.

Corinna (s.), from Launceston, via Eden: 112 bags bark, 14 casks fat, 2 cases leather, 100 bags oatmeal, 40 bags split peas, 310 cases fruit, 1251 bags potatoes, 53 bags wheat, 5050 ingots tin, 856 bales straw, and 6 packages.

Aratapu, from Kaipara: 123,000 feet sawn and dressed kauri.

Ex Gulf of Mexico: 4 cases, containing best London-made carriage, gig, and buggy harness—John Brush, Son, and Company, 403, George-street.

Ex Konoowarra, Cheviot, Buninyong, Burwah, Karawera, Wakatipu, Vivid, and own steamers: 1750 bags Victorian wheat; 755 sacks Brunton's, 215 sacks Bridgewater, 625 sacks Waterndill, 300 sacks Kimpton's, 500 sacks Malcolm's Victorian flour; 1000 bags Harrison's flour; 2508 bags oats; 963 bags bran; 2014 bags New Zealand, and 3067 bags Circular Head potatoes; 4983 bags maize—Nipper and Son, 120, Sussex-street.

Ex Gulf of Mexico: 19 packages containing as follows:—Wilson's saddles, Goodman's patent snaffle-cloths, spoke brushes, malacca hunting crops, brass mail coach horns and leather cases, ladies' assorted saddle-cloths, linen cord girths, best steel Wilson's snaffles, best steel hunting and race stirrups, hard-plated hunting spurs 1½ to 3 inch necks, racing spurs, indiarubber carriage mats, best Prince's check horse clothing, woollen horse-rollers, overland trunks, Chinese trunks, bonnet boxes, deed boxes, railway companions, carpet bags, fitted travelling bags, Gladstone bags, rug straps, leather collar boxes, leather hairbrush cases, ladies' dress trunks, leather and canvas knapsacks, canvas clothes-bags, despatch boxes, bankers' bill cases, leather and canvas artists' cases.—John Brush, Son, and Company, 403, George-street.

Ex Yeoman: Otard, Dupuy, and Co.'s pale brandy, in quarter-casks and cases, quarts—Curran [illegible], Macquarie-place.

Ex Lake Ontario, Gulf of [illegible], and Yeoman [illegible] cases Bavarian beer; 150 cases 26 gauge [illegible] galvanised iron, 5 to 10 feet; 90 cases 24-gauge [illegible] iron; 1000 cases Dairymaid Swiss milk—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.

Ex Yeoman: 87 cases plain galvanised iron; 80 cases corrugated galvanised iron; 1 case cricketing goods; 1 case Russian glue; 8 cases soft soap; 2 casks patent packing—John Keep and Son, 16, 18, and 20, Barrack-street.

EXPORTS.—September 18.

Diamantina (s.), for Townsville: 375 kegs blasting powder, 12 cases sporting powder, 40 cases dynamite, 4 cases detonators, 2 casks fuze, 2000 slates, 144 pieces oregon, 23,132 feet timber, 20 dray wheels, 50 cases milk, 115 cases paint, 2 cases show cards, 8 piles [illegible] ware, 1 springcart.

Elamang (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports: 481 packages wines and spirits, 140 bags [illegible], 132 [illegible] vegetables, 52 packages butter and cheese, 25 cases syrup, 25 cases beer, 12 casks lime-juice, 7 cases electric apparatus, 414 cases fruit, 257 packages tea, 49 cases sewing-machines, 81 cases galvanised iron, 771 bars iron, 25 cases turps, 4 packages cigars, 12 bales hay, 24 wheels, 35 packages hardware, 26 packages machinery, 20 axlearms, 5 casks fuze, 1 box opium, 19 packages periodicals and stationery, 7 cases drugs, 38 packages drapery and boots, 127 packages oilmen's stores, and sundries.

City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne: 2249 cases fruit, 2800 bags sugar, 354 bags maize, 58 bags oysters, 240 hides, 121 bales wool, 8 bars iron, 178 ingots copper, and sundries.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: September 18, Fawn, brig, 216 tons, Captain H. Dilliner, for Timaru, via Newcastle; Corinna (s.), 810 tons, Captain A. Drysdale, for Launceston, via Newcastle; Glanworth (s.), 558 tons, Captain W. C. Thomson, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton; City of Adelaide (s.) 824 tons, Captain A. M'Intosh, for Melbourne; Elamang (s.), 480 tons, Captain W. J. Stuart, for Brisbane and Northern ports; Nemesis (s.), 886 tons, Captain W. F. Deary, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Cheviot (s.), 764 tons, Captain William Donaldson, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

The P. and O. Co.'s R.M.S. Rosetta leaves the Circular Quay at noon to-day for London, via ports. The following is a list of passengers who have booked by her:—For London: Mrs. Garrett and 2 children, Miss Williams, Mr. W. H. Jones, jun. For Calcutta: Messrs. A. E. C. Bolst, T. Pugh, J. Brown, R. Ward. For Bombay: Major M. S. Bell. For Madras: Mr. R. A. Lloyd. For King George's Sound: Mr. C. Alexander. For Adelaide: Miss Storrie, Miss Locking, Mr. and Mrs. James Irving and 2 children. For Melbourne: Mrs. Pennock, Miss Bellin, Miss Thompson, Mrs. M'Callum, Miss M'Callum, Miss Scott, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Yenckers, Miss Watt, Rev. D. Fenwick, Messrs. P. Hordern, A. K. Kraddock.

The steamship Gulf of Mexico is one of the latest additions to the well-known "Gulf" line of cargo carriers which have now established themselves in the trade between Great Britain and the Australian colonies, and illustrates in a marked degree the progress and importance of that trade—first, because she is a larger and better vessel than any of her predecessors; and secondly, she possesses saloon accommodation of a superior kind for about 30 passengers. Notwithstanding that the weather experienced during the passage has been unusually severe, the Gulf of Mexico has come through it most creditably, and six fine Clydesdale horses which she had on board for Adelaide were landed in first-class order. The Gulf of Mexico was launched in the early part of this year from the yard of Messrs. Dixon and Co., of Middlesborough, and has been constructed to the highest class at Lloyd's. Her principal dimensions are—Length, 340 feet; beam, 42 feet; depth of hold, 26 feet; her net tonnage is 2056 tons, gross 3172, and she can carry about 4700 tons of deadweight on a draught of 22 feet 6 inches. The engines, which were supplied by Messrs. Blair, of Stockton-on-Tees, are compound surface-condensing and direct-acting; the cylinders are of 43 inches and 80 inches and the stroke is 54 inches. They are of 300 horse power nominal, and drive the vessel at a speed of 11 knots on a consumption of 30 tons of coal per day. Captain Allen, who was formerly in the Gulf of Carpentaria, is in command, and reports of the voyage as follows:—Left London on July 10, called in at Malta on the 21st, and left again on the same day. Port Said was reached on the 25th, and the Suez Canal was cleared on the 27th. The vessel called at Aden on the 1st August, and left again on the 2nd. On the 11th Diego Garcia was reached, and the steamer was detained there two days through some disaffection among the natives. She had to take in 300 tons of coal, and in consequence of the disaffection could not get it aboard in less than the time named. The steamer called at King George's Sound on the 29th ultimo, and was detained there for three days in consequence of the difficulty in obtaining a sufficient supply of coal. Adelaide was reached on the 5th instant, and the cargo for that port was discharged by the next day, when the vessel left for Melbourne, Cape Otway was passed at a quarter to 3 p.m. on the 8th, and the steamer anchored in Hobson's Bay at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of the 9th. After discharging cargo and landing passengers, the Gulf of Mexico left Melbourne on the 15th instant, at 9.50 p.m.; cleared Port Phillip Heads at 12 o'clock; passed Wilson's Promontory at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, Gabo at 5 o'clock on Monday morning, Cape St. George at 8 p.m. same day, and entered the Heads at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Strong head winds were experienced as far as Gibraltar, and easterly winds from there to Malta. The weather was exceedingly hot in the Red Sea, and from Diego Garcia to King George's Sound a continuance of strong head winds and high head seas were met with. From King George's Sound to Adelaide the weather was very bad, but from Adelaide to Melbourne it was fine, with moderate winds. The decks were frequently flooded with water during some of the heavy gales that were encountered, and it was found very difficult to prevent the horse-boxes from being destroyed. From Melbourne light easterly winds were experienced to Wilson's Promontory, thence southerly winds and heavy sea to Cape St. George, and light variable winds and fine weather from there to arrival. After being passed by the health officer, the Gulf of Mexico was taken up to a berth at Dibbs' Wharf.

The steamer Kiama crossed the Moruya bar outwards on the 17th instant at 9.25 a.m.; passed Cape St. George same day at 5.30 p.m.; entered Sydney Heads at 1 a.m. on 18th, and arrived at the company's wharf at 1.30 a.m., having experienced easterly winds and fine weather throughout the passage. Cargo: 18 kegs and 1 case butter, 27 bags bacon, 521 cheese, 22 bags bark, 11 bags oysters, 9 cases eggs, 2 cases birds, 1 piano in case, 2 canvas parcels, 4 cases lard, 2 casks tallow, 2 bundles sheepskins, 28 hides, 1 bag wool, and 2 cases sundries.

The steamship Nemesis cleared Port Phillip Heads at 8 p.m. on the 15th instant; rounded Wilson's Promontory at 6.35 a.m. on the 16th; passed Gabo Island at 3 a.m., and Jervis Bay at 7 p.m. on the 17th, and entered Sydney Heads at 3.45 a.m. on the 18th. Experienced moderate E. and N.E. wind and fine weather throughout the passage.

The steamer Hunter left Clyde River on Monday at noon, arrived at Ulladulla at 3.30 p.m., took in cargo and passengers and left again at 5.30 p.m., passed Cape St. George at 8 p.m., and entered the Heads at 6 a.m. yesterday. Light northerly winds and clear weather were met with throughout the passage.

The Corinna left Launceston at 10 a.m. on the 15th instant, and had light easterly winds and fine weather to Eden, which was reached at 6.15 p.m. on the 16th; left Eden at 8 a.m. on the 17th, and entered Sydney Heads at 5 a.m. on the 18th. From Eden light variable winds and fine weather were experienced.

The steamship Yeoman, which arrived yesterday from London, belongs to the same line as the Delcomyn; but this is her first visit to Sydney. She has hitherto been engaged in the trade between London and Queensland, carrying mails, passengers, and cargo, and she proved so useful in the passenger traffic that she was placed on the line for Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney. Over 170 passengers were booked by her, of which 40 were landed at Adelaide, 50 at Melbourne, and the remainder are for Sydney. The passengers were under the medical care of Dr. Wilson, and their health seems to have been in every way satisfactory. The Yeoman was built at Newcastle-on-Tyne, by Messrs. Campbell, Mackintosh, and Bowstead, for W. Lund, of London. In length she measures 285 feet 2-10ths, her beam being 36 feet 7-10ths, and depth of hold 26 feet. The gross capacity is 2226 tons, and the net register is 1427 tons. The hull is straight-stemmed, and is bulk-headed off into water-tight compartments. There are five of these bulkheads. The hull is also double-bottomed for 234 feet, and there is provision for 320 tons of water ballast. There is a small saloon aft in a convenient deckhouse. The engines, which were supplied by Messrs. T. Clark, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, are compound surface condensing of 250 horse-power nominal; the cylinders are of 35 inches and 68 inches, the stroke is 48 inches, and the working pressure 90lb. of steam to the square inch. The Yeoman is rigged as a schooner, is classed 100 A1 at Lloyd's, and is supplied with steam winches, &c., for the discharge and taking in of cargo. Captain Ilbery reports leaving London on July 12, and having generally fine weather to Malta, which was reached on July 22. Coal was taken in here, and the voyage resumed on July 23. Moderate weather continued to Port Said. There was no communication with the shore there, nor yet at Suez, whence the Yeoman took her departure on July 31. The usual sweltering weather was experienced in the Red Sea, and a call was made at Aden on the 6th ultimo. Strong S.W. monsoons and a very high sea prevailed across the Gulf of Aden and the Arabian Sea, and when they abated, weather of a more moderate character set in and continued to Diego Garcia, where the Yeoman anchored on the 15th ultimo. The owners of the steamer have a coaling station at the island. The Yeoman left the Chagos on the 17th ultimo, and on the first day out fell in with a fresh S.E. trade, which increased to a strong breeze and brought a high sea with it. The wind continued strong from S.S.E. until rounding Cape Leeuwin, when it backed to S.S.W. From the Leeuwin the winds were moderate, but there was a heavy, lumpy cross sea, in which the steamer rolled very much. The Yeoman arrived at Adelaide on the 7th instant, after a very good passage of 56 days over all, inclusive of all detentions en route. After landing passengers and cargo for South Australia the Yeoman left for Melbourne at 7 p.m. on the 8th instant, and entered Port Phillip Heads on the 10th. Cargo and passengers were landed, and then the Yeoman left on the 15th instant, at 3 p.m., for Sydney, and after a passage that was marked by light variable winds and fine weather, arrived as stated. The vessel was granted pratique by Dr. Sibley, and steamed up to a berth at the Grafton Wharf.

The schooner Aratapu, with a cargo of sawn and dressed kauri, entered the Heads at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and was towed to a berth at Goodlet and Smith's Wharf, Darling Harbour. She sailed from Kaipara on the 30th ultimo, and experienced very boisterous weather during the whole passage. The winds were from W.S.W. to N.W., and frequently increased in strength to gales, but the schooner came through them all safely.

The barque Prospector, with a cargo of kauri timber, sailed from Mercury Bay on the 25th ultimo, and experienced strong westerly winds and a heavy sea till the 30th, when the wind shifted to the eastward, and took the barque round North Cape the same day. After that, however, the wind set in from the westward again, and strong westerly and S.W. winds were met with until Lord Howe Island was sighted on the 11th instant. A light breeze from the southward sprang up on that day, but only lasted until the 13th, when it shifted into W.S.W., and blew a heavy gale. Sugarloaf Point was sighted on the 15th instant, and Port Stephen passed on the 16th, and light variable winds, from W.S.W. to N.W., were met with from thence to arrival. The Heads were entered at 9 o'clock on Monday night, and the barque anchored in Neutral Bay until yesterday morning, when she was towed to a berth at Russell's wharf, at the head of Darling Harbour.

Mr. G. Skelton Yuill, the manager in Australia of the Orient line of steamers, writes to us stating that the steamship Iberia is to leave London for Australian ports on the 31st October, and will come by way of Naples and the Suez canal. The succeeding steamers will also come via the Canal, instead of via the Cape, as they at present do.

The China Navigation Company's steamer Taiwan left Cooktown on Monday for Sydney, via Mackay.

The M.M.S. Sydney, from Marseilles, arrived at Adelaide at 9.30 p.m. on Monday.

The P. and O. Company's outward-bound R. M.S. Assam left Albany at 6 p.m. on Monday.

The barque Clyde, for London, is to be towed to sea at 10 o'clock to-day.

The Orient liner Iberia left Aden on the 15th instant, homeward bound.

The M.M. steamship Dupleix was yesterday taken up to Mort's Dock to receive an overhaul.

The Port Jackson Company's new steamer Port Jackson resumed her duties yesterday.

Yesterday the French barque Gers was berthed at Alger's Wharf, and the ship Lake Ontario at Smith's Wharf.

The R.M.S. City of Sydney was yesterday towed up to Fitzroy Dock to receive an overland.

The ship Illawarra, bound to San Francisco, was towed down the harbour yesterday, clearing the Heads at noon.

The schooner Diamantina cleared at the Customs yesterday for Townsville, with a cargo of powder, dynamite, slates, timber, &c.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Clyde, from London to Sydney, via ports, cleared Port Phillip Heads at [illegible] 30 p.m. yesterday, and is due here to-morrow afternoon.

By our shipping cable news it will be seen that the ship St. Leonards, which sailed from London on the 17th instant for Lyttelton, came into collision in the Channel with a vessel named the Cormorant. The St. Leonards sank, but the passengers and crew were all saved and taken into Dartmouth. It will be recollected that the St. Leonards, in company with the Sydenham and Aldborough, bound to Sydney and Melbourne, put back on the 5th instant to effect repairs sustained during a heavy gale. She had since repaired damages and resumed her voyage. The St. Leonards was one of the oldest passenger vessels trading to New Zealand, and was for many years engaged running regularly between London and Wellington, under the command of Captain Richard Todd. She was a great favourite with passengers. Messrs. Shaw, Savill, and Co. were her owners.

The Hunter River New Steam Navigation Company's new steamship Namoi was launched from the shipbuilding yard of Messrs. John Key and Sons, at Kinghorn, on the 3rd of August last. We have received the following interesting particulars respecting the vessel:—The Namoi is about 1200 tons register, and is the largest paddle steamer ever built for the coasting trade between Sydney and Newcastle. Her dimensions are—length, 254 feet between perpendiculars, 31 feet 6 inches beam, 13 feet 9 inches depth of hold from main deck, and depth from spar deck to floor of hold 21 feet 9 inches. The engines, which are to be supplied by the builders, are expected to drive the Namoi at a speed of 15 knots an hour; the cylinders are of 50 inches and 90 inches, and the pistons have a 6 feet stroke. There are four boilers, each 13 feet 6 inches by 10 feet 4 inches, with three furnaces in each, and the working pressure is 50lb. to the square inch. The passenger accommodation is to be extensive. The Namoi is to have large carrying capacity. She will be a very noteworthy addition to our coasting steamers.

On board the Frank Guy, schooner, now in Warrnambool Bay (says the *Standard*), there is a canine wonder in the shape of a large brown retriever dog named Maori. He is hardly up to working a day in navigation, but he is an adept at the wheel, and steers admirably. A few days ago Captain Baile sent Maori to the wheel. Away he went and grasped the spokes in the orthodox sailor style, and alternately put the helm to port or starboard. Occasionally he would glance at the binnacle, and look aloft to see that the ship was full and by. Once, on entering Port Chalmers, the Frank Guy had to pass between two ships at anchor, one of them a large immigrant ship. Captain Baile, knowing the schooner would steer herself for a few minutes in the light breeze, sent the men below, and ensconced himself in the cabin, keeping an eye on Maori, who was at the wheel, erect and attentive. The effect of the solitary dog steering a 200-ton schooner between the two vessels, had an almost electrical effect on the crews and passengers, who crowded the bulwarks to wonder at the novel sight.

The tonnage loading on the berth at London on August 2, for India, China, and the Cape of Good Hope, amounted to 36,277 tons, and for Australia and New Zealand to 59,829 tons.

Since the last mail the Ellora has sailed from Plymouth for Sydney, with 469 immigrants, under the supervision of Dr. L. Fitzpatrick, as surgeon-superintendent, with Miss Titchmarsh in charge of the single women; and the Hampshire, for Rockhampton, with 125 single men, 80 single women, and 262 families—in all 387 adults, equal to 461 souls.

THE ITALIAN MAN-OF-WAR CARACCIOLO.

The Italian corvette Caracciolo arrived in harbour yesterday morning, and anchored in Farm Cove at 11 o'clock. The Caracciolo is a wooden vessel, something similar to our Wolverene, and was built at Castellamare in 1869. She is about 1800 tons register, and carries eight guns, six of which are 16centimetres, and the other two 60-pounders. Besides this she has two boat guns, two mitrailleuses, &c. The number of the crew all told is 220, and the officers are as follows:—Captain, Charles de Amezaga; commander, Gaeta Catello; first lieutenant, F. Denaro; second lieutenant, G. Priani; first sous-lieutenant, F. Verde; second sous-lieutenant, G. Ronca; surgeon, L. Calabrese; assistant-surgeon, F. Rho; paymaster, A. Bonucci; chief engineer, R. Muratgia.

The Caracciolo was commissioned at Naples on November 16, 1881, and sailed on the 1st December for the Pacific station. Gibraltar was the first port touched at, then Madeira, St. Vincent, Pernambuco, Rio Janeiro, and Monte Video; and from the latter city the Caracciolo went to the Straits of Magellan. Captain de Amezaga was most courteous in giving all information with regard to his cruise, and therefore we are enabled to place some interesting particulars before our readers. Whilst cruising about the Straits of Magellan, advantage was taken of the opportunity to perform a great deal of hydrographic work, the results of which were afterwards published in the "Hydrographic Annual of Chili." A number of specimens of coral and other marine curios of a most interesting description was also obtained here; besides which the geology of the surrounding country, its fauna and flora, were all studied to a certain extent, because, although the Caracciolo is not on a scientific cruise, and there are no savants on board, yet Captain de Amezaga and his officers are very enthusiastic searchers after information with respect to the countries they have visited, and their collections of birds, beasts, old and curious potteryware from Chili and Peru, Guayaquil, &c., is one that will interest more than the scientific student. Two months were spent in the Straits of Magellan, and then the vessel proceeded up the Patagonian channels. A very heavy gale, lasting for 48 hours, was encountered after passing through Messier Channel, but the ship passed through it safely, although several other vessels caught in the same storm failed to weather it. Ancud, in Chili was the next port touched at, the vessel receiving some necessary repairs there, and then Lota was visited. This town is a very interesting place; it is the Newcastle of Chili, and there is every sign of a prosperous career before it. The Caracciolo then sailed for Valparaiso, where she arrived on the 27th August, and found everything going along quietly there, the storm of the war between Chili and Peru not having reached so far south. A very pleasant stay of a month was made at this city, and then the ship was ordered to Callao to protect the interests of the Italian colony there from a threatened raid of Monteneros, or Peruvian guerillas. The raid, however, did not take place, and when the Caracciolo reached Callao on October 8, the danger was over. After a stay of two months, the ship got under way again, and went to Panama; but she did not remain there long, as a revolution broke out in Guayaquil, and the Caracciolo was despatched to the scene of the fighting. During the time she was cruising about this coast, yellow fever and revolution seemed to be chronic; neither had any ill effect on the Caracciolo, however, with the exception that one of the crew who went ashore was stricken with yellow fever, and died after a short illness. Two months were spent here, and then on March 29th the vessel returned to Callao, where she was relieved by another corvette, the Vittor Pisani. An interval of two months again elapsed, after which the ship was ordered to return to Italy, via Sydney, Torres Straits, Batavia, Point de Galle, Aden, and the Suez Canal. The French colony of Tahiti was touched at during the voyage, and also Suva, Fiji. Captain de Amezaga paid a visit to Governor Des Voeux at the latter place, and retains nothing but pleasant impressions of his stay there. The marvellous growth of Suva, and the evidences of prosperity and progress to be seen on all sides, struck him forcibly; and the system of Government there, compared to that at present in force at Tahita, was noticed very favourably. Suva was left behind on the 27th August, and the Caracciolo was kept under steam until about 200 miles had been traversed, the rest of the passage being made under sail. The engines of the Caracciolo, it may be stated, are of about 450 horse-power, and a speed of 10 knots is obtained by the use of her screw alone. The Caracciolo will receive a thorough overhaul whilst in this port. Shortly after the vessel came to an anchor she saluted the Commodore, and the honour was promptly acknowledged both by H.M.S. Nelson, and by the battery at Dawes Point. Later on the Italian Consul, Dr. Marano, paid an official visit to the Caraccolo, and was received with the honours befitting his office.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

Brisbane.—Departures: September 18, Barrabool (s.), Quiraing (s.), Currajong (s.), and Teviotdale (s.), for Sydney; Planter, barque, for Newcastle, in ballast; Egmont (s.), from Sydney, arrived at Maryborough this morning. James Paterson (s.), from Sydney, left Maryborough to-day. Keilawarra (s.) left Rockhampton to-day for Sydney. Tinonee (s.), for Mackay, arrived at Rockhampton yesternight. Nowshera (s.), from London to Brisbane, left Flat Top Island, Pioneer River, early this morning. Alexandra (s.), for Port Douglas, left Townsville this afternoon. Arcone (s.), for Sydney, left Cairns this morning. Ellen, schooner, arrived at Cooktown this morning, from Sydney. Silket, barque, from London, to Bundaberg, with immigrants, arrived at Burnett Heads this morning. Katoomba (s), for Cooktown, left Bowen at noon. Wentworth (s.), for Sydney, left Bowen early this morning.

Ballina.—Arrival: September 18, Ruby, schooner, from Sydney. Passed: September 18, Corea (s.), south at 5.30 p.m.; a small barque, painted black, north at 5.30 p.m.

Clarence Heads.—September 18, George Thornton, schooner, is ready for sea.

Bellinger Heads.—Arrival: September 18, Emily T.

Trial Bay.—Departures: September 18, Agnes, Mabel White, Margaret Jane.

Macleay Heads.—Arrival: September 18, Sophia Ann (s.), from Sydney. Departure: September 18, Karuah (s.), for Sydney, at 9.20 a.m.

Port Macquarie.—Passed: September 18, Union (s.), at 2.30 p.m.; Tomki (s.), at 3.40 p.m., south.

Forster.—Departure: September 16, Dewdrop.

Manning Heads.—Departure: September 18, Rosedale (s.), with Acis in tow, at 10.15 a.m.

Seal Rocks.—Passed: September 18, Rosedale (s.), south, at 2.25 p.m.

Port Stephens.—Departures: September 18, Ettie and Enterprise.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: September 18, William Leavitt, from Madras, in ballast; Kembla (s.), Lady Bowen (s.), Boomerang (s.), Tamar (s.), Richmond (s.), Birksgate (s.), Saxonia (s.), Lubra (s.), Cheviot (s.), from Sydney, Emily Mary, from Lake Macquarie. Departures: September 18, Easby (s.), for Melbourne; Richmond (s.), for Clarence; Silver Cloud, for Napier, Wakatipu (s.), Tasmania (s.), Kembla (s.), Lady Bowen (s.), Konoowarra (s.), Tamar (s.), Saxonia (s.), Marie, Emily Ann, Fanny Fisher, Catherine Agnes, Eveline, Agnes Rose, Favourite, Jane, Jonathan, Dolly Wamsley, Hirondelle, Violet, Scotia, for Sydney.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: September 18, Dairymaid (s.), Lass o' Gowrie (s.), Havilah (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 18, Allowrie (s.), Lass o' Gowrie (s.), for Kiama.

Jervis Bay.—Departure: September 18, Bega (s.), at 3.30 p.m.

Eden.—Arrival: September 18, Tasman (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 18, Kameruka (s.), for Sydney, at 8 a.m.; Tasman (s.), for Hobart, at 1 p.m.

Gabo Island.—Passed: September 18, Rodondo (s.), at 3.3 p.m., and Tasman (s.), at [illegible].35 p.m., bound west.

Wilson's Promontory.—Inwards: September 18, Glaucus (s.), at 11.45 a.m. Outwards: September 18, Titus (s.), at 10.30 a.m.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: September 18, Claud Hamilton (s.), from Adelaide; Feilung (s.), from Hongkong; Taramung (s.), from Newcastle; Gazelle, from Waratah Bay; Robin Hood, brig, from Kaipara. Departures: September 18, Flinders (s.), for Launceston; Southern Cross (s.), for Hobart; Ringarooma (s.), for Hobart and Bluff Harbour; Westeria, barque, for Guam; Gulf of Carpentaria (s.), Venice (s.), for Port Darwin; Clyde (s.), Leura (s.), for Sydney.

Queenscliff.—Departure: R.M.S. Clyde, at 5.30 p.m.; and Leura (s.), at 5.30 p.m., for Sydney.

Adelaide.—Arrival: September 17, Sydney (s.), from Marseilles.

Albany.—Departure: September 18, R.M.S. Assam, for Colombo.

FOREIGN SHIPPING.

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MANILA (via Cooktown.)

Arrival.—August 18, Henry A. Litchfield, barque, from Newcastle June 19. Departure: August 9, Morning Star, barque, for Sydney.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The St. Leonards, ship, from London to Lyttelton, which sailed a second time, after repairs, on the 17th instant, came into collision with the Cormorant. The St. Leonards sank from the effects of the collision, but no lives were lost, the crew and passengers being all saved and taken into Dartmouth. It is not known whether the Cormorant was seriously injured.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.—September 18.

Western Australia.—Cloudy, with light N.W. wind at Albany; Perth, fine, with light S. wind.

South Australia.—Light clouds, rising barometers; smooth sea and light southerly winds on S. coast; fine inland, with light southerly wind.

Victoria.—Broken clouds round coast, but no rain; sea smooth, barometers falling, wind light from N.E.

Tasmania.—Fine, with light southerly wind.

New Zealand.—Fine generally, with light S.E. winds and calms; strong S.E. wind at Taranaki and Gisborne.

New South Wales.—Fine throughout colony; smooth sea, falling barometers, and light westerly winds on coast; calm inland.

Queensland.—Fine, with light S.E. winds and moderate sea.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Victoria.—Melbourne, N., 13, dull, temperature 70°; Cape Otway, E., 8, dull, smooth sea, temperature 67°; Portland, N., 34, dull, smooth sea, temperature 65°; Wilson's Promontory, N.E., 13, cloudy, smooth sea, temperature 58°.

New South Wales.—Wentworth, N., fine, temperature 74°; Deniliquin, calm, fine, temperature 66°; Albury, calm, fine, temperature 62°; Eden, N.E., 14, fine, slight sea, temperature 60.; Moruya, N.E., 28, fine, moderate sea, temperature 64°; Cape George, N.E., 42, fine, smooth sea, temperature 60°; Sydney, N., 8, fine, smooth sea, temperature 60°; Newcastle, E., 14, fine, smooth sea, temperature 61°; Port Macquarie, E., 14, fine, smooth sea, temperature 71.; Clarence River, S.S.E., fine, smooth sea, temperature 69°; Forbes, calm, fine, temperature 61.; Goulburn, calm, fine, temperature 58°.

STATE OF RIVERS.

Murrumbidgee: At Wagga, 8 feet 9 inches above summer level; at Hay, 8 feet 10 inches above summer level; at Balranald, 9 feet 6 inches above summer level. Murray: At Albury, 8 feet 9 inches above summer level; at Euston, 15 feet 8 inches above summer level. Darling: At Wentworth, 12 feet above summer level; at Pooncarie, 5 inches above summer level; at Menindie, summer level; at Wilcannia, summer level; at Bourke, summer level.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER 19.

Sun rises at 5.56 a.m., sets at 5.53 p.m.; Moon, 5.56 p.m., 6.57 a.m.; Mercury, 6.50 a.m., 7.54 p.m.; Venus, 6 a.m., 5.50 p.m.; Mars, 2.23 a.m., 12.14 p.m.; Jupiter, 3.8 a.m., 1.14 p.m.; Saturn, 11.57 p.m., 9.47 a.m. New moon, 2nd; full moon, 17th.

High water at Fort Denison, September 19: 9.43 a.m., 10.4 p.m.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Tuesday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market to-day few sales were reported. Commercial Building and Investment, Brickwood, and Wesley Tin were firmer, others being quoted at about late rates. In Banks, Joint Stock sold at 16¾, buyer at 16⅝, seller 16⅞; City, buyer 13¾, seller 13⅞; Commercial, buyer 106, seller 107; Federal, buyer 29s. 3d., seller 30s.; Mercantile, buyer 5¾, seller 5⅞; New South Wales, buyer 57¼; New Zealand brought 23⅞, buyer 23¾, seller 24—on New Zealand register, sale at 22¾, buyer 22½, seller 23¼; Queensland National sold at 6¼, buyer 6¼, seller 6¼; Union, seller 68. In Steam, Australasian had buyer at 21, seller 21¼; Balmain Ferry, buyer 16s. 6d., seller 17s.; Clarence and Richmond River, seller 8; Hunter River, buyer 10⅞, seller 11¼; Illawarra, buyer 7½; Newcastle, buyer 20s. 3d., seller 20s. 6d.; North Shore Ferry, buyer 29s. 6d.; Port Jackson, seller 76s. In Insurance, General, buyer at 93s., seller 97s.; Australian Mutual, buyer 11s.; City Mutual, buyer 10d., seller 1s.; Mercantile Mutual, buyer 2s., seller 2s. 2d.; Pacific, buyer 74s. 6d., seller 76s.; Sydney Marine, buyer 42s., seller 46s. 6d.; United, buyer 55s., seller 60s.; Australian Gaslight sold at 12⅞, buyer 12¾, seller 12⅞—new shares, 10s. paid, buyer 57s. 6d., seller 60s.; Castlemaine Brewery, buyer 23s. 9d., seller 24s. 6d.; City Carrying, seller 8s.; Coffee Palace, seller 6s.; Commercial Building and Investment realised 60s., buyer 59s., seller 62s.; Hudson Brothers', buyer 12s. 6d., seller 12s. 9d.; Saywell's, buyer 19s., seller 19s. 6d.; Sydney Exchange, buyer 11¾, seller 12; Shale and Oil, buyer 16s. 6d., seller 18s.; Sydney Freehold, buyer 19s., seller 21s. 6d.; Volunteer land orders, buyer 152, seller 159. In Coal, Bulli had seller at 11; Wallsend, buyer at 27¼, seller 29½; Vale of Clwydd, buyer 27s. 3d., seller 27s. 9d.; Waratah sold at 14, buyer 13⅞, seller 14. In Copper, Great Cobar, buyer 74s., seller 76s.; New Mount Hope, buyer 58s.; Nymagee, buyer 47s. 3d., seller 48s.; Brickwood Tin, buyer 18s., seller 19s.; Wesley, buyer 8s., seller 10s.; Barmedman Gold, seller 8s.; Hidden Treasure, buyer 1s., seller 8s.; Band and Albion, buyer 31s., seller 40s. New South Wales debentures, due 1902, seller 112.

In the Import market to-day very little business was reported, the course of trade being unmarked by any special feature. Breadstuffs are without change. Adelaide flour, £12 5s. to £12 10s.; South Australian country brands, £11 10s.; New South Wales, £11 to £12; Victorian, £10 12s. 6d. to £11 5s. The Adelaide Milling Company, under date 12th September, reports a dull market. Accepting the Government report of the harvest at 196,000 tons, from which 88,000 were deducted for seed, an exportable balance of 108,000 remained. Of this 80,350 tons had been shipped. It was expected that Africa would not take more than 4000 tons, that 8000 would cover the requirements of New South Wales and Queensland, and 5000 be sufficient for other colonies. The remaining 10,000 tons must find a European market, or be carried forward. A speculative shipment of 900 tons for the United Kingdom was being made, and the only prospect of an improvement in the market was that further shipments of the same kind would go away. The sugar market is depressed, and the auction catalogue to-day was withdrawn, the price offered being below vendor's limits. Candles are firmly held, and holders ask up to 10d. for D.R.J.'s, this price having to be paid for small lots. In liquors we hear of very little business doing, and there is no change in any of the principal lines of wines, spirits, or beer. There is very little doing in metals. Sheet lead is depressed, the month's shipment having been large. At the timber sale at Messrs. Fraser and Co.'s, this afternoon, there was a good attendance, and the catalogue was cleared, as follows:—Clear redwood, 1 inch, 22s. 6d.; 5 x 1½ redwood architraves, 14s. 6d.; 4 x 1, 9s. 6d.; 9 x 1, skirting, 23s. 6d.; 8 x 1, 22s.; dressed redwood pickets, 4 feet 6 inches, 16s.; 5 feet, 20s. 6d.; ⅝ x 1½ lattice redwood, 8s. 3d.; redwood doors, 7s. 6d. to 17s. 6d.; sugar pine doors, 10s. 6d. to 16s. 3d.; Oregon, 6 x ⅞, T. and G. full, 17s. 6d.; 6 x 1, full, 18s.; T. and G. white Baltic, 8 x ⅞, 10s. 9d.; 6 x ⅞, 11s. 9d.; T. and G. white Baltic flooring, 6 x ⅞, 16s. 6d.; 6 x ½, T. and G. and B. white Baltic lining, 9s. 6d. The sales along the wharfs this morning were fairly attended, and a tolerably good business was done. The following prices were realised:—Melbourne onions, £8 to £8 5s.; New Zealand potatoes, £3 to £3 5s.; Circular Head ditto, £2 15s. to £3 5s.; and Ballarat ditto, £3 per ton; lucerne, £2 to £3 per ton; maize, 2s. 11d. to 3s. per bushel; feed and seed oats, 2s. 6d. to 2s. 8d.; Victorian oaten chaff, £5 to £5 5s.; beeswax, 9d. to 10d.; honey, 5d. to 6d.; lard, 7d. to 9d.; ham, 7d. to 10d.; bacon, 6d. to 8d.; cheese, 6d. to 8d.; butter, 1s. 6d. per lb.; eggs, 10d. to 11d. per dozen.

Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., F. L. Barker, John Bridge, and Mort and Co., held their weekly sales of leather to-day. The following are market quotations:—Kip, 12d. to 15½d.; calf, 21d. to 27d.; yearling, 18d. to 23d.; cow tweed, 16d. to 20½d.; horse tweed, 14d. to 18½d.; bridle, 8s. to 10s. 6d.; harness (brown), 11s. to 13s.; harness (black), 12s. to 13s.; bag, 6s. to 10s. 6d.; basils, 8s. to 13s.; kangaroo (colonial), 18d. to 25d.; sole, heavy, 9d. to 9½d.; sole, light, 8¼d. to 8½d.; sole (damaged), 6d. to 7½d.

The Gulf of Mexico (s.) arrived to-day from London with a general cargo valued at £69,300. The Yeoman (s.) also arrived from London with a general cargo.

The English mails by the P. and O. Company's steamship Clyde were delivered this morning. The easier tone of the money market, which has since culminated in a reduction of the Bank rate, was apparent when the mail left. Best three months bank paper was quoted at 3⅝ per cent., a reduction of about ⅛ per cent. during the fortnight. The month's shipments to the colonies showed a decrease of £255,200 as compared with those of the preceding month, the total figures being £2,163,300. Of this amount, £722,200 was shipped to Sydney, a decrease of £86,600; £622,300 to Melbourne, a decrease of £111,100; £224,400 to Queensland, an increase of £1100; £167,300 to South Australia, a decrease of £125,200; to Swan River, £14,400, a decrease of £28,900, To Tasmania and New Zealand there were enlarged shipments. To Sydney were shipped the following: Drapery, £315,900; leather and saddlery, £43,460; rails and general machinery, £44,300; books, paper, and stationery, £27,207; gunpowder, 1898cwt.; hardware, cutlery, £31,700; bar and rod iron, 453 tons; pig iron, 580 tons; galvanised iron, 1634 tons; sheet lead, 236 tons; linseed oil, 14,490 gallons; cement, 12,260 barrels; tobacco, 24,250lb.; brandy in bulk 15,500 gallons, in case 13,110 gallons; rum, 23,030 gallons; geneva, 520 gallons; British spirits in bulk, 9350 gallons—in case, 12,090 gallons; wine, 3190 gallons; white wine, 7540 gallons; beer, red bulk, 714 barrels, glass, 1646 barrels; malt, 2877 quarters; hops, 96 cwt.; sardines, £2370; assorted oilmen's stores, £12,070; white salt, 1007 tons; rock salt, 105 tons; British candles, 720 cwt.; raisins, 1087 cwt.; currants, 2455 cwt.

The Customs receipts to-day were as follows:—Spirits, £2861 10s. 4d.; wine (still), £263 13s. 3d.; ditto (sparkling), £16; ale, porter, and beer (in bottle), £222 1s. 6d.; tobacco and snuff, £397 6s.; tobacco (unmanufactured), £407 4s.; cigars, £171 0s. 3d.; tea, £382 6s. 6d.; coffee and chicory, £15 13s. 3d.; sugar (unrefined), £25 3s. 6d.; molasses, £18 11s. 2d.; opium, £48 8s. 9d.; rice, £14 10s. 3d.; dried fruits, £191 0s. 2d.; nuts, £3 4s. 10d.; malt, £13 10s.; hops, £4 4s. 9d.; sarsaparilla, £326 15s. 9d.; fisheries royalty, £4 12s. 6d.; pilotage, £78 18s. 4d.; harbour and light dues, £70 6s. 4d.; Chinese restriction, £130; total, £6165 2s. 1d.

STOCK SALE.

Messrs. William Sloane and Co. report having sold on account of S. W. Swift, Esq., 4500 cows and 1500 young mixed cattle—in all, about 6000 head—from the Avington station, Mitchell District, Queensland, at a satisfactory figure—purchasers being Messrs. Cox, Dowling, and Co., of Connemara station, North Gregory District, Queensland.—[Advt.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Sept. 17.

4 per cent. South Australian Loan (1894-1916), £100.

4 per cent. Victorian Loan (1899-1901), £101.

The market rate of discount is quoted at 2⅝ per cent.

Tin.—Straits and Australian, £94 10s.

Wheat.—New Zealand, 41s. to 45s.

At the wool sales to-day 11,700 bales were catalogued. The market is firm.

(From our own Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Victorian Mining Stock.—Sales: Dyke's Freehold, 2s. 6d.; Egerton, 50s. to 51s. 6d.; Lazarus, 10s.; Long Tunnel, £67 to £67 10s.; Lord Harry, 87s.; New Kong Meng, 25s. to 25s. 9d.; South Dyke, 2s. 7d. to 2s. 6d.

There is no change in flour. Wheat remains quiet at 4s. 11½d. Maize is selling at 4s. 7000 bags of Queensland sugar sold from £22 for rations to £35 for whites. Currants are quoted at 3¼d. for export. New Patna rice is quoted at £10.

THE MAILS.

Mails will be made up at the General Post Office to-day for the undermentioned places, as follows:—

For Melbourne.—Overland, this day, at 3.30 and 7 p.m.

For Adelaide.—Overland, via Melbourne, this day, at 3.30 and 7 p.m.

For Hobart and Launceston.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, this day, at 7 p.m.

For Merimbula and Eden.—By the Bega (s.), this day, at 9 a.m.

For Wellington and all New Zealand Ports.—By the Wakatipu (s.), this day, at 11 a.m.

For Port Macquarie.—By the Murray (s.), this day, at 1 p.m.

For Brisbane and Northern Ports.—By the Glanworth (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.

For Brisbane and Northern Ports.—By the Victoria (s.), on Thursday, at 5 p.m.

For United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer Orient, on Thursday, at 6 p.m.

For Ulladulla and Clyde.—By the Allowrie (s.), on Friday, at 9 a.m.

For Launceston and Hobart, via Eden.—By the Corinna (s.), on Friday, at 9 a.m.

For Gosford.—By the Defiance (s.), on Friday, at 6 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR UNITED KINGDOM.

Despatched by	Date.	Letters.	News-papers.	Late Letters.
S.S. Orient	Thursday, Sept. 20.	Registered, 4.30 p.m.; unregistered, 6 p.m. 6d. per ½-oz.	4.30 p.m. Postage, 1d.	6.30 p.m.; extra fee, 6d.

Despatched by	Date.	Letters.	News-papers.	Late Letters.
P. and O. Co.'s steamer Rosetta	Saturday, Sept. 22.	Registered, 4.30 p.m.; unregistered, 6 p.m.	4.30 p.m. Postage, 2d.	6.30 p.m. Extra fee, 6d.

UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, LIMITED.

The forty-fifth annual general meeting of this bank was held on Monday, the 30th July, at the offices, 1, Bank-buildings, Lothbury, E.C., Mr. William O. Gilchrist in the chair.

The following report and accounts were submitted, viz.:—"The statement of accounts which the directors have now the pleasure of presenting cannot fail to be very gratifying to the shareholders. It shows an improvement under every head of the bank's business, and the profits, after sufficient provision for all bad and doubtful debts, have enabled the directors to declare on this occasion a dividend of £1 15s per share, and a bonus of 10s per share, together at the rate of 18 per cent. per annum, and to transfer £30,000 to the reserve funds. These funds are thereby raised to £910,000, and the directors take this opportunity of repeating that they are strongly in favour of the policy of adding steadily to the reserve funds when profits admit of it. The very satisfactory result of the half-year's operations is attributable to an expansion in colonial industries and to the continued active demand for money and consequent full employment in the colonies of the bank's funds; but it is largely due also to the zeal and prudence with which the increased business of the bank has been conducted by the general manager, the chief officer for New Zealand, the managers of branches and other responsible colonial officers, as well as by the manager and staff in London. The past season has not been entirely favourable to the chief interests of the colonies, some important districts having suffered from want of rain. The grain harvest in South Australia has again proved deficient, but good in quality. In New Zealand, on the other hand, the harvest has been abundant. Mr. Richard James Ashton and Sir Charles Henry Mills, Bart, M.P., are the directors who retire on this occasion, in accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Settlement, and offer themselves for re-election. Mr. Albert Deacon and Mr. Robert Palmer Harding, the auditors of the company also retire, and offer themselves for re-election. The annexed balance-sheet presents a net amount of profits of £158,155 5s 7d, out of which the sum of £30,000 has been transferred to the reserve funds, and the balance—viz., £158,155 5s 7d—is available for division. Of this the dividend and bonus will absorb £135,000, and leave £23,155 5s 7d to be carried forward. The dividend warrants will be transmitted by post on the 1st of August, and the dividend and bonus will be payable in the colonies at such time as the general manager shall fix after receipt of telegram.

The chairman said that, as it had fallen to his lot to preside at the meeting so shortly after they had elected him as one of their directors, he would not venture to detain them long, but it was his agreeable duty to congratulate them on the results set forth in the report and accounts presented for the half-year ending the 23th February, 1883. These results might be regarded as doubly gratifying, inasmuch as they enable the directors, by the declaration of an increased and exceptionally substantial dividend, on this occasion to meet the wishes expressed by the shareholders last January in the matter of distribution of profit, and also to enlarge their reserve funds by the addition of £30,000, so maintaining the policy frequently advocated by the board and approved by the shareholders, and which they trusted circumstances would permit them to continue until their reserves had assumed considerably larger proportions. The figures in the balance-sheet, which had been in their hands for some days, although giving evidence generally of growth and prosperity in their operations, did not call for any special comment from him, but should any proprietor be desirous of information regarding any particular item he would be happy to afford it. In respect to statement of profits, he might remark that the net profit, amounting to £166,897, during the period under review was, with the exception of that shown at 31st of August, 1882, the largest ever earned by the bank, the nearest approach to it having been in June, 1853, £165,235, during the unusual prosperity attending the early gold discoveries. The expenses, exclusive of income tax, showed an increase of £964 when compared with those of the preceding half-year; but if the largely increased totals of the balance-sheet were taken into consideration, a smaller percentage on such totals was discovered. In fact, the percentage under such calculation, which amounted to 11s. 1d. for the half-year, was the smallest they had had for the last 20 years. Considerable money stringency had prevailed of late throughout the colonies in financial circles, and the resources of the banks had been so severely taxed by increasing demands on them that 6 per cent. per annum for 12 months' deposits became general, and in some cases even higher rates had been paid by other banks. This state of things had been brought about in some measure by mercantile overtrading, resulting in the accumulation of enormous stocks of imported goods of all kinds in the colonial markets, and had been aggravated by the deficiency in the returns from the grain crops and the call for additional assistance by squatters after their losses by the drought, both of which causes were alluded to in their last report; and, at the same time, large amounts of capital had been absorbed in the promotion of new mining, pastoral, sugar producing, and other industries. As such times proved very trying to weak or unsuccessful traders, it was to be feared that those institutions doing a large and widely-spread business could not hope to enjoy an immunity from bad debts during the current year, notwithstanding the utmost care in the administration of their affairs; and their profits might also be susceptible of some diminution, as it was not always easy or expedient for banks in these days of keen competition to establish a corresponding advance in lending rates to old and valued customers to meet the excessive terms he had named for deposits. Their business, however, was at all points sound and satisfactory, and so vigorous continued the development of promising and important enterprises in the Australian colonies that they found desirable connections increasing faster than fresh capital became available to satisfy their requirements. In illustration of this expansion, he would draw their attention to the Australasian banking returns for the 31st of December, 1882, when they found an increase in the assets at banks amounting to no less than £14,936,348, or 167 per cent. on the figures at December 31, 1881, only 12 months previously, and the totals for the first time in the history of Australia exceeded £100,000,000. This sum compared favourably with the wealthier countries of Europe, although it must be borne in mind that much of it represented English capital, which found in Australia such a lucrative field for investment. He had much pleasure in testifying to the unremitting attention and skill bestowed on their matters by their officers generally throughout the colonies and in London. These gentlemen had assisted the directors in every possible way, and the cordial thanks of the proprietors were due to them more than to anybody else for the favourable results presented that day; and, so far as they could judge from the latest advices to hand, the results from their operations during the current half-year would give no cause for dissatisfaction. In conclusion, the chairman moved the adoption of the report and accounts."

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.; at 3, Vehicles, &c.

T. COSGROVE and CO.—At the Bazaar, at 12, Horses, &c.

W. INGLIS and CO.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.; at the Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

WELLS and GREENHALGH.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.; at 9, Hay, &c.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.; at 9, Hay, &c.

TATE BROTHERS.—At their Rooms, at 2, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Flour, Tea, Wine, Whisky, &c.

FRASER and CO.—At the City Mart, at 11, Sugars, Oilmen's Stores, Hops, &c.

PALMER, THOMPSON, and DENNY.—At Maravi, Edgecliff-road, Woollahra, at 11, Furniture and Effects.

HARRIS and ACKMAN.—At the Mart, at 11, Fire Ranges, Cement, Trunks, Shovels, Axes, Clocks, Bedsteads, &c.; at 3, Furniture, &c.

C. MOORE and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, China, Earthen and Glass Ware, &c.

THE P. O. A. and A. CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Oil Paintings, Engravings, Water Colours, Pianoforte, &c.

J. RODD.—At the Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, &c.; at 12, Clothing, &c.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—At their Rooms, at 11.30, Houses and Land.

T. R. SMITH, CHAPMAN, and SMITH.—At their Rooms, at 11, Houses and Land.

RICHARDSON and NIXON.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 9, Wood, &c.; at 9, Hay, &c.

G. WELLS.—At the Hunter River Company's Wharf, at 11, Hay, Maize, &c.

J. BRIDGE.—At his Warehouse, at 3, Wool, Sheepskins.

MORT and CO.—At their Warehouse, at 2.30, Sheepskins; at 3, Wool.

BRUNKER and WOLFE.—On the H. R. Company's Wharf, at 11, Hay, Maize, &c.

H. H. LANG.—At the Stores, Erskine-street, at 11, Wheat, Potatoes, &c.

H. L. DUNN and SON.—At their Rooms, at 11 and 2, Unredeemed Pledges.

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In all discussions on the status of the press, it is important to keep a firm hold of the fundamental principle that the legal status of the journalist is that of the ordinary citizen. Our Supreme Court has always held to this doctrine, and rightly so, and we desire nothing better. Indeed it would be impossible, without twisting the law, to rule otherwise. The law knows nothing of a man's occupation as affecting his legal rights; there are no statutes giving a pressman a better position than that of any other citizen, and we hope there never will be.

Yet we occasionally read arguments and reproaches which are based upon the assumption that the law ought to treat a journalist better than other people, out of regard to the great public importance of the vocation he exercises. It is contended that the Courts must be blind if they do not see that the journalist—especially one who controls a reputable and widely-circulated journal—does, as a matter of fact, stand on a different footing from an ordinary citizen, and that it is pedantry and folly not to recognise that fact. This view is occasionally put forward by journalists themselves under the natural temptation to

magnify their office, and sometimes by politicians by way of courting the press, but at the same time, as it seems to us, without sufficiently considering the consequence of such doctrine. A little reflection, however, will show that neither the press nor the community has anything to gain by a separation between them.

In the first place, it is at present an impossible thing, and it would at any time be an improper thing, for any man to clothe himself with special functions which would give him special rights above his fellow-citizens. Society would be all in confusion if men could appoint themselves to offices and dignities, and if without leave asked or given any man could by buying a few types and presses assume to himself rights of criticism which would not otherwise belong to him. Any man with a few pounds in his pocket, or with credit enough for the purpose, could set up a hand-press, and issue his fly-sheets. It would be ridiculous to allow him to acquire special rights in virtue of such an investment.

In the second place, it is to be noted that the ownership of printing material is not, after all, the necessary distinction, because it is just as easy, often easier, to use another man's printing press than to buy one. Who is a journalist, and how is the term to be defined? If the owners of newspapers were the only writers in them, and kept the monopoly of their organs to themselves, the case would be different; but a modern newspaper is the production of a score of different contributors, and not only are there writers of the original matter, but there is an army of volunteer correspondents, often anonymous—men who become pressmen *ad hoc*, and who may be anyone, from a Governor or a Chief Justice downwards. Who is a journalist? How is the species to be defined? With respect to libel and contempt. the object of the law is to repress them both, if possible. But it is the man who writes that is morally guilty if wrong is done, because it is his thought and expression, although the law always holds the publisher liable, because he is a known person and can be got at, although in very many instances he knows nothing at all about the origin of the offence. The real journalists, *in foro conscientiæ*, are the men who write, not the business printers, and any citizen who feels prompted to write a letter can constitute himself a journalist any day he likes. Even as a regular profession journalism is the most open one there is. It is no close corporation. There are no rules of admission; there is no formal preparation, no examination or form of admission. Anyone can go in and get his footing if he can. Only merit tells. A good many trades are fenced round. Journalism is as open as a common.

This is the state of things that has grown up naturally, and this is the state of things that had best remain. The only logical alternative to having the profession of journalism absolutely free in the eye of the law, is to have it certificated, to have men licensed, and only admissible into the profession by the gracious permission of some authority. Special privilege always must have its counterpart, and to be a legally privileged critic, of necessity implies that the critic must be legally appointed. He must then, from the necessity of the case, be under obligation to some authority for permission to exercise his vocation, and yet that vocation implies the duty of criticising all authorities, as occasion may require. We can conceive of nothing more fatal to the interests of free criticism than any such system of license. The very notion of having an authorised set of critics is abhorrent to all our ideas of a free press. Indeed, a community that would stand it would no longer be a free community. The glory of the press and the utility of the press would go to-morrow if its members were a class of Government licensees, specially privileged to say stronger things than other citizens might. It would be an evil day if such a system were established, and yet towards that we shall inevitably drift, if we once depart from the simple principle of having every man who expresses his opinion on public men and public affairs on the ordinary civic footing. The press, too, has everything to gain by standing shoulder to shoulder with the people. If journalists are useful at all, it is because they do the people service, and if they are to be protected efficiently, it must be by the ægis of the people. Their rights must be citizens' rights, their dangers citizens' dangers, their privileges citizens' privileges.

We hope, therefore, that the time is far distant when neither men of the press nor politicians will claim for journalists any special consideration on the ground of their profession, or of the services they render. The press wants no such special privileges, ought to have none, ought to claim none. Its rights of criticism are just those that belong to every citizen, neither less nor more. The press has nothing to gain, the community has nothing to gain, by exceptional privileges. Such privileges would breed jealousy. As it is, a blow aimed at the press is felt through every land as a blow aimed at the people.

In regard to one point the testimony of the Inspector-General of Police is in accord with that of the local optionists who waited upon the Minister for Justice a month ago. We are assured by both sides that Sunday legislation has not put a stop to Sunday selling. Mr. Fosbery tells us there can be no doubt but that the law is extensively and systematically broken, and that its more stringent provisions, instead of turning publicans from their crooked ways, have led them to adopt greater precautions. This is precisely the effect which extreme legislation has had elsewhere, and it is the effect that was anticipated here. It is very hard to catch a publican who is bent on breaking the law, and it is sometimes hard to convict him when he is caught. As a rule, the ingenuity of the lawbreaker is more than equal to that of the lawmaker. In one of the large English towns there were some twenty thousand convictions against drunkards, and hardly any convictions against the class who made them drunk. We have no means of knowing to what extent the effect of the new law has been to decrease Sunday selling, or, indeed, whether its effect has been to decrease it at all. We should say that the total quantity of drink sold on the Sunday is smaller than it used to be; but if the trade is a smaller one, in some respects it is a worse one. A part of the Sunday trade that was carried on under the old Act had one redeeming feature, it was done in accordance with law. So much cannot be said for any of the selling that takes place at present. So far as the State is responsible for the Sunday selling which is indulged in so freely, it is responsible for training a section of the community to violate the law. The wholesale consumption of drink which is shown to be going on is a wholesale contempt for public authority, and men who get into the habit of trifling with the authority of the State in one particular are liable to contract the habit of trifling with it in another. There can be no doubt that many who buy drink on the Sunday do so because, on certain grounds, at least, they hold the practice to be permissible. Rightly or wrongly, they maintain that the Sunday-closing clause is an unnecessary interference with legitimate freedom. Regarding the law as an objectionable one, if they can trifle with it with impunity, they are able to do so without compunction.

Persons who are prone to over-estimate the efficacy of Acts of Parliament say that the Sunday law would do more if some of the police were more diligent and honest. And they may be right. There are bad as well as good men in the police force as well as elsewhere. When other people are incorruptible we may look for incorruptible policemen. Upon the whole, however, the country has no reason to complain of its police. That the chief officials of the Police Department have checked constables in the performance of their duty no one will believe for a moment. It is the duty of the Inspector-General to get the police to exercise their zeal with discretion, and since the Act of 1882 was passed there has been sufficient to show the necessity for this. No doubt a system of espionage would enable the police to accomplish a great deal more; but if the public would gain by such a system, the police themselves would suffer. Even the public would lose more in one way than they would gain in another. It is important that the Licensing Act should be vigorously administered, but it is still more important that it should be administered openly and straightforwardly. The fact that in Sydney alone no less than about 350 police prosecutions under the Act have taken place during the present year, if it shows the extent to which the law is broken, it also shows that the police have been doing much to bring the offenders to punishment. According to the statement furnished by Mr. Read, since January last there have been 123 convictions for Sunday trading alone. No doubt a much greater number of convictions might have been obtained if a larger number of policemen had been employed. Such a number of prosecutions must show that no inconsiderable percentage of the publicans of the metropolis have been caught violating the law. But no one requires to be told that if some have been caught others have escaped, and that no force which the Government is likely to employ, or which the public would ask them to employ, will prevent their escaping. If a policeman were attached to every public-house in the metropolis publicans might still find a way of eluding observation and of escaping justice. The closer the espionage the more restless would be the vigilance of the class against whom it was directed.

Nor is it likely that if the law were made more stringent the evils complained of would be effectually cured. Superintendent Read thinks that there would be an improvement if we were to adopt the clause of the English Act which provides that if, during prohibited hours any person is found on a publican's premises, "he shall, unless he satisfies the Court that he was an inmate, servant, or a lodger on such premises, or a bona-fide traveller, or that otherwise his presence on such premises was not in contravention of the provisions of this Act with respect to the closing of licensed premises, pay a penalty not exceeding forty shillings." But in England drink is sold during prohibited hours, notwithstanding such clauses. Nor is it clear that the passing of such a clause would touch the kind of evasion which the authorities want to reach. The people whom the police were the most anxious to catch might have the least difficulty in swearing that their presence on a publican's premises was not in contravention of the Act. If the law is made more strict, the precautions will be made more clever. It may be doubted whether any amount of vigilance on the part of the police or any degree of stringency in the law will effectually put a stop to Sunday selling. In England far more is being done by the means which are employed for the purpose of improving the tastes of the people than by those which are intended to curtail their freedom. The public has a right to expect that the police will do their duty, and there is nothing to show that they are not doing it. Some of the charges which were made by the local option deputation seem to have completely broken down. It is difficult, indeed, to avoid the impression that two or three of the charges were preferred before sufficient inquiry was made. Good causes are not helped by the loose statements which are occasionally made in their interest. That there are still abuses to be cured everybody must admit, but from the evidence before us we are bound to believe that the Police Department is honestly and vigorously enforcing the law.

The Stipendiary Magistrates may be commended for the cautious, yet resolute, manner in which they approached the first case dealt with under the flogging clause of the new code. The case, as Mr. Buchanan very well said, was about as bad as could be imagined. The prisoner had been guilty of actions that disgraced the meanest manhood, and under circumstances where it was impossible for the unwilling spectators to turn a back upon his outrageous conduct. He was under no provocation; it was simply the bestial nature asserting itself under the influence of drink, the bestial nature which may very properly be kept in check by the only effectual corrective such a nature knows. The flogging will recur to his memory whenever the viler part of his nature stirs within him again, and there is good reason to hope that simple fear of more flogging will keep him in subjection. Flogging in England and in Australia has almost crushed out that more savage, if less abominable, crime of garrotting, and flogging must be put to work to subdue this rampant and ever-aggressive crime of shameless obscenity. Mildwater's may be an exceptional case, but it only towers slightly by virtue of its greater infamy over a host of others. Scarcely a day's record of the Police Courts but contains several cases of obscenity or indecency, usually dealt with by fines and imprisonment; and every man of the city familiar with the streets after nightfall must have been disgusted on many occasions by a senseless obscenity and profanity, poured out without necessity or provocation, and with an utter disregard as to who might be passing by. Our streets would be strangely purified if a good many of these creatures were treated in the same fashion as Mildwater, and there seems nothing in the law to prevent it. It will be observed that Mildwater was sentenced to be flogged for using obscene language in a public place; for wilful indecency he was imprisoned. The magistrates were undoubtedly right in characterising the latter offence as the worse of the two, but it will be generally felt that they awarded the more severe and curative punishment to the former. The various offenders who have hitherto escaped with a fine, and the others who have escaped punishment so far, will do well to note that former sentence. It may fall upon them any day, and it will be quite useless for them to appeal to public sympathy when it does.

There was just sufficient in Mr. Garrett's speech to his constituents at Campbelltown to show that he is still alive to the necessity for the establishment throughout the country of a scheme of local government. But it will be unfortunate for the colony if the Government does not attach more importance to the question than Mr. Garrett seems to have done at Camden. The question of extending our municipal system has too frequently occupied a place in the very forefront of our Parliamentary sessional programmes, to be afterwards consigned to the regions of forgetfulness. The necessity, however, for the establishment of some form of local government throughout the colony becomes more urgent and pressing with every recurring session, and Governments will not much longer be able to treat it with indifference, or as a matter of secondary importance. It will be well if, in the coming session, Mr. Stuart will give evidence of that leonine courage his Ministry has claimed to possess, and not only make his Excellency promise, but the Government to fulfil their duty in respect to this most pressing subject, and deal with it with all the reality with which the land question will have to be dealt. It is not to be expected that in formulating a system of local government the Ministry will be able to please everybody. Governments do not exist for the mere purpose of pleasing people. The interest, or rather want of it, shown by sections of the people in regard to the question is no gauge of the public necessities. Their open mouths have too often been filled by a paternal Government to occasion much anxiety on their part for the application of a measure that may, whilst it rouses their faculties, also to some extent touch their pockets. It is not what certain sections of the people like, but what the State demands, that the Government have to consider. Mr. Garrett admitted that there was no colony where public money was so liberally voted for public works as in New South Wales, and no country where so much public money had been spent so badly. Under our system of centralisation what else can be expected? In the Treasury-fed district which Mr. Garrett represents, for instance, hundreds of miles of roads have to be maintained and kept in repair, and the oversight of the expenditure necessary to that end has to be almost wholly exercised in Sydney. The road superintendents send in periodical reports; but what check is there over those reports, to ensure anything like accuracy? Mr. Garrett remarked that if local residents had the money for local works spent under their own control, it would be spent promptly and to better advantage; and it is to be hoped that experience will prove him to be correct. As to the adoption of a general system of local government advantaging the country by breaking men in for public life, our views are not so sanguine as those of Mr. Garrett. The municipal board has often proved the stepping stone to the Parliamentary benches. But we have not derived much political strength from that source. The system, however, would no doubt promote a stronger public spirit in the community, the outcome of which might be the development of more able public men. But the great gain from the establishment of a local government system will be in the relief it will give to the Government departments in Sydney, and the greater economy in the expenditure of public money.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Zulu Chief Cetewayo has again proved too refractory for the British, and has been formally called upon to surrender himself to the Power which but recently reinstated him on his somewhat unstable throne. If he does not deliver himself up, he is, that is if he can be caught, to be arrested by British troops.

A very serious marine disaster is reported in one of our cablegrams of this morning. The ship St. Leonards, having a large number of emigrants on board, and a general cargo, came into collision with another vessel while proceeding down the English Channel, on her way to New Zealand. The St. Leonards foundered very speedily. All on board, however, were saved, but they had no time to save any of their personal effects. They were safely landed at Dartmouth.

Up to the time our latest cablegrams were despatched nothing had transpired to show the progress of the negotiations between M. Waddington, the Marquis Tseng, and the French Government in regard to the Franco-Chinese difficulty. It is said that M. Challemel-Lacour, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, intends to take leave of the Government for a short time, and in his absence M. Ferry will fill the office. This is regarded as having a peaceful augury. French operations in Tonquin are suspended, awaiting reinforcements.

The National Debt Act, passed in the last session of the Imperial Parliament, is now, according to one of our cablegrams, being put into force. The object of the Act, as explained by the Chancellor of the Exchequer when he moved the second reading of the measure, is to substitute terminable annuities for a period of twenty years, in view of the terminable annuities which will run out in 1885. A fresh annuity is also created to extinguish about seventy millions of stock held by the Court of Chancery and the National Debt Commissioners, on account of the savings banks; and the general result of these operations in conjunction with the action of the new sinking fund will, the Chancellor estimates, be to extinguish in 20 years one hundred and seventy-three millions of debt, without adding to the annual charge upon the taxpayer.

New Zealand meat still finds favour in the London market. The cargo which was taken home by the Opawa, though in good condition, has been found inferior in quality, as compared with previous shipments, and yet the first portion realised from 6½d. to 6¾d. per lb.

At a meeting of the Executive Council, held yesterday, Crown Prosecutors were appointed to conduct the prosecutions for the Crown at the ensuing Circuit Courts. The arrangements for these courts will be found stated in our law columns.

At a meeting of the Executive Council, held yesterday, Dr. W. D. C. Williams was appointed surgeon-major to the Permanent Artillery Force, in place of Dr. Bedford, resigned. Dr. Williams is, we understand, son of the late Dr. W. J. Williams, and nephew of our respected Crown Solicitor, Mr. John Williams. Mr. A. G. H. Morris was appointed a lieutenant in the Permanent Force, in the room of Lieutenant A. Le Patourel, resigned.

We understand that a proclamation will soon be issued prohibiting the importation of dogs into New South Wales from all places outside of the Australian colonies and New Zealand. A similar law, we are informed, is already in force in Victoria and Queensland.

We are informed that the Dean of Sydney having received from the Bishop of Brisbane a telegram stating that Canon Barry has signified his acceptance of the Bishopric of Sydney, has summoned the standing committee to meet on Thursday afternoon.

The English mails per P. and O. steamer Clyde were delivered from the General Post Office at 9 a.m. yesterday. English and foreign correspondence and extracts from our London files to the 10th August are given in another column. The expatriation of the Irish informers so soon after the execution of the Phœnix Park murderers—sending them away unprotected, too—is regarded in England as a very unwise proceeding on the part of the Dublin authorities; and that the Government should have failed to protect the life of their chief informer is to be regretted, from the effect it was likely to have on the discontented section of the Irish people. Our London correspondent (whose letter appears in another part of to-day's *Herald*) states that it was well-known Earl Spencer bitterly blamed the Government for the way in which they have blundered over the whole matter. Mr. Gladstone's utterances with regard to Egypt are described as "adroit"—the limit of occupation can only be fixed by circumstances. In discussing the South African question, from which debate the Government emerged with something of triumph, Mr. Gladstone's wonderful powers as a debater shone again conspicuously, as he fixed the charges made against the Ministry on the Opposition, whose damages the present Administration were endeavouring to repair. With regard to New Guinea annexation, there was an opinion in London that the Government would yet give way, if the financial difficulty can be got over.

Sir John Robertson did not leave last night for Dungog, as intended. Finding it impossible to go, except at the greatest inconvenience, the hon. gentleman was obliged to abandon the idea of being present at the banquet to be given in honour of Mr. H. H. Brown, M.L.A., and could only send a letter of regret and apology to the chairman.

The following letter on the subject of the rabbit pest, signed James Fyson, jun., and dated Tupra, 10th September, 1883, has been received by the Chief Inspector of Stock:—"I have now been using bisulphate of carbon about three weeks with the following results:—I have used it without lighting, and it has taken several hours to kill rabbits, while when lighted it will kill in from four to twenty minutes, according to size of warren, charge, &c. My plan is, overseer with small camps of men on different parts of the run, moving from place to place. This is not one hundredth part the expense of digging, trapping, &c., while the work is done effectually. The outside rabbits open up the burrows—say one in twenty, within a week—which proves the country will have to be gone over again. If all my neighbours were compelled to use carbon, work will soon come easy in keeping rabbits down."

It appears that the proposed action of the Government with reference to the removal of the Glebe Island Abattoirs has excited some attention and interest among those most concerned in the matter—the stock-owners in the interior. A meeting was recently held of the Sheep Directors of Germanton, near Albury, at which the chairman brought the subject before the notice of the Board. A resolution was carried to the effect that the Board viewed with the greatest possible satisfaction the resolution arrived at by the Government to close the abattoirs and Glebe Island and erect a meat market on the railway at Darling Harbour, which would convert the present live fat stock trade into a dead meat one, and thereby prevent the terrible cruelty and starvation to which fat stock are now subjected, as well as the waste and deterioration of the meat, and also the inconveniences entailed on the inhabitants of Sydney and the suburbs through the live stock trade. They further resolved that the resolution referred to should be forwarded to the several boards throughout the colony, urging them to give the course proposed by the Government their cordial approval and support.

In consequence of the long list of cases yet remaining undealt with, his Honor the Chief Justice will extend the sittings of the Banco Court for a fortnight, and will not therefore be able to go on circuit. The Executive Council yesterday appointed Mr. M. H. Stephen, Q.C., to be Acting Judge on the circuit, which Sir James Martin would otherwise have taken, comprising Hay, Young, Yass, and Goulburn. His Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer, in addition to the Tamworth, Armidale, and Maitland circuits, will also take the court at Grafton, which has been postponed for a week, in order to enable him to reach it after holding the court at Maitland.

In the case of Cohen v. Rowe, in the Banco Court yesterday, an action brought by the plaintiff, who was father-in-law to the defendant, for the recovery of furniture from the defendant's hotel at Nyngan, and £300 for their detention, the jury returned a verdict for the defendant. In the Jury Court, before Mr. Justice Innes, the case of Pokorney v. O'Brien terminated in a verdict for the plaintiff for £250, being the commission upon a loan of £10,000 at 2½ per cent., procured for the defendant by the agency of the plaintiff, a broker and commission agent. He had claimed £700 in all upon other transactions. The case of Friend v. Smith, a slander action from Carcoar, was proceeding when the Court rose. The now celebrated Seccombe will suit is drawing to a close. Counsel occupied the whole of the time up to the adjournment here in addressing the jury. His Honor Mr. Justice Faucett commenced his charge to the jury at 2.15, and had not concluded at 4 o'clock. His Honor will resume his remarks this morning. Several equity matters were then brought under his Honor's notice, among which was an application for an injunction in Gibson v. Sneddon, to restrain the defendant from working a coal seam 18 feet under plaintiff's house at Brookstown, near Newcastle. The injunction was granted.

The hearing of the divorce case, Horwitz v. Horwitz and Solomon, came to a conclusion late yesterday afternoon, and resulted in a verdict for the petitioner, with £5000 damages against the co-respondent. The jury decided that the respondent had been guilty of adultery; that the offence had not been condoned; that the petitioner had not been guilty of adultery, and that he had not been guilty of cruelty towards the respondent. The following questions remain to be decided by the Judge:—"1. Whether the petitioner had been guilty of such cruelty towards the respondent as had conduced to the adultery charged against her with Henry Albert Solomon, the co-respondent? 2. Whether the petitioner had been guilty of such wilful neglect or misconduct towards the respondent as had conduced to the adultery charged against the respondent with the co-respondent."

In pursuance of a promise made to a deputation on Monday, the Hon. the Colonial Secretary made a visit of inspection to the new Sydney Hospital buildings, Macquarie-street, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Stuart was met by the Board of Directors, who showed him all round the place, and pointed out how far the new contract extends, for which they are responsible to the extent of £11,200. Mr. Stuart informed the directors that he was at present unable to give them a definite answer as to their request that the Government would make provision for the sum named on the Estimates for next year, but he would consult the Colonial Architect on the matter as soon as that officer returned to Sydney from his tour of inspection of the lighthouses along the coast.

To-day will be the last day for applications to be made for admission to the Sydney High schools. A large number of pupils for the first quarter is not expected, as the time is somewhat inconvenient for opening a new school; but a far greater number of applications is expected after the Christmas vacation. The first entrance examination will take place on Thursday, September 20, and all candidates for admission are requested to be present at 9 a.m., at the schools in Elizabeth-street (girls), and Castlereagh-street (boys).

At the Camperdown Council-chambers last night, a public meeting was held for the purpose of taking steps to amend the law of libel, and to alter the procedure in cases of contempt of Court. The chair was occupied by Mr. R. Thompson, the Mayor of the borough, and a series of resolutions were agreed to affirming the desirableness of the object in view. Fuller particulars of the meeting are published in another column.

The Italian war vessel Caracciola arrived in Farm Cove about 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and, on anchoring, saluted the commodore. She is a wooden corvette, carrying eight guns, six of which are of 16 centimetres, the other two being 60-pounders. She was built at the Italian Government dockyard at Castellamare, near Naples, where her boilers and engines were also supplied, the latter being of 450 horse-power, and enabling the vessel to attain a speed of 10 knots. The Caracciola is from Callio, via Tahiti and Suva, and comes here for the purpose of being docked.

We learn from the Hon. Colonial Secretary that the ship Sydenham sailed from London for Sydney on the 15th instant, with 342 immigrants.

A singular spectacle was witnessed by persons in Macquarie-street yesterday evening. The moon, which is just past the full, rose immediately behind the South Head lighthouse, and the appearance of the grand orb—red as copper almost, owing to the mist—with the dazzling brightness of the electric light upon it, was striking in the extreme. It looked even more peculiar when the moon had risen a little, and the electric light appeared as a brilliant star, suspended from the less lustrous but far larger body of the moon.

According to special arrangements, made at the instigation of Mr. John Woods, the native flower show at Manly Beach was re-opened yesterday, for the purpose of raising funds to assist the movement in aid of the widow and family of the late Captain Moreton. During the day additional steamers were put on by the Port Jackson Steamboat Company, and all necessary steps were taken to provide for the speedy transport and convenience of passengers. The weather was all that could be desired, and the display at the pavilion was almost as attractive as that presented on the opening day. The flowers were fresh gathered for the occasion, and, as was fully anticipated, some hundreds of persons took the last opportunity offered of visiting the show. The ladies who presided at the stalls last week continued their exertions with renewed vigour yesterday, and disposed of hundreds of bouquets. The German Band was present during the day, and enlivened the proceedings with several selections of music. The show was closed at 10 o'clock last night, when the proceeds were found to be most satisfactory. The takings at the gate amounted to between £50 and £60, which, with the sales effected during the day, made the total over £100. This evening a ball is to take place at the pavilion by way of completing the wind-up of the show.

In reference to the Intercolonial Juvenile Industrial Exhibition, Parramatta, 1883, it may be mentioned that arrangements have been entered into with Messrs. Hudson Brothers, Limited, for the erection of the buildings, enclosures, &c., required for the exhibition. The plans for the main building were designed by Messrs. Blackmann and Parkes, of Sydney. Here nearly 30,000 feet of floor space and committee rooms, cloak rooms, secretaries' office, &c., will be provided. A spacious verandah, nearly 400 feet in length by a width of 20 feet, will be erected, to be utilised as a promenade; and on the basement floor there will be two or more refreshment rooms, 60 feet by 25 feet. Whilst in view of the short period of time for which the buildings will be required, it is a matter of necessity to study economy as much as possible, the main structure, the site of which is in the Parramatta Park, on the crown of a hill overlooking the town, will yet present a very handsome appearance. A very large amount of interest in the matter is being shown in this and the neighbouring colonies, and although the undertaking has assumed much larger proportions than at first intended, there is thus far every prospect of success. Auxiliary committees have been formed in Albury, Yass, Goulburn, Dubbo, and other towns, and in these it is proposed to hold local exhibitions prior to the goods being dispatched to Parramatta. Arrangements have been made for musical and literary contests during the course of the exhibition, and particulars will be published in a few days. The space reserved for non-competitive exhibits is limited.

The resolution passed by the directors of the Benevolent Asylum in favour of purchasing land at Redfern, as a site for a new asylum, at a cost of £30,000, without reference to the Government, having come under the notice of the Colonial Secretary, that gentleman has directed a letter to be sent to Dr. Arthur Renwick, the president. In this letter Mr. Stuart calls the attention of the asylum authorities to certain Acts of Parliament and deeds of grants, from which it appears to him that the trustees of the asylum have not the power to deal with the property without reference to the Government or Parliament. As will be seen from the letter which we publish in another column, Mr. Stuart dissents from the views expressed by one director at the meeting that the trustees are proprietors of the ground and property in such a way that they can do what they like with the money realised through the Government resuming the site. He considers it beyond the scope of the Benevolent Asylum to use its funds in the purchase of land as a commercial speculation, and denies entirely the right of the trustees to dispose of the property in any way they like, without the approval of the Government.

Yesterday's *Gazette* contains a notification to the effect that the following gentlemen have been appointed to seats in the Legislative Council:—Robert Palmer Abbott, J.P., of Manly; Henry Carey Dangar, of Grantham, Potts Point; Alexander Gordon, Q.C., of Woollahra; Archibald Hamilton Jacob, J.P., of Westthorpe, Ashfield; James Henry Neale, J.P., of Potts Point, Sydney; and John Nagle Ryan, J.P., of Galong, Burrowa.

The resignation of the Rev. Charles Strong as pastor of the Scots Church, Melbourne, and the charges preferred against him by the Rev. Mr. M'Eachran, were further considered at a meeting of the Melbourne Presbytery yesterday. Our Melbourne correspondent has sent us by telegram a lengthy report of the proceedings, which will be found in another column. It will be seen that the Rev. Mr. M'Eachran in prosecuting his charges, asserted that an outrage had been committed on the Christian community by Mr. Strong's conduct. He considered that Mr. Justice Higinbotham's recent lecture could not be passed over without calling Mr. Strong to account. The resignation of that gentleman did not remove a reason for the Presbytery vindicating itself. The Rev. Mr. Strong had not protested against that lecture; and in fact his public teachings were precisely on its lines. The whole drift of Mr. Strong's teachings had lowered the Scriptures in the estimation of men, particularly with regard to the doctrine of atonement. The accuser further asserted that the Rev. C. Strong had brought a man to his church to say plainly what he had not the courage or the manliness to say himself. This remark was received with hisses by the other members of the Presbytery, and some disorder ensued. Mr. Strong made an able defence, and concluded by moving that there were no grounds for the charges that had been made against him. Several amendments were proposed and discussed, but not determined. Eventually the discussion was adjourned until to-day.

A lecture in connection with the St. Vincent De Paul Society was delivered in St. Benedict's Hall last night, by the Rev. C. F. P. Collingridge, upon "Teetotalism and Intemperance." There was a very fair attendance, and the chair was taken by Mr. J. Bridge, there being also on the platform the Revs. Fathers Mahoney and O'Brien, and Messrs. P. Mulcahy and J. Mason, treasurer and secretary of the society. The lecturer dealt with his subject in an able and interesting manner, pointing out the evils of intemperance and the benefits of teetotalism. He related several anecdotes bearing upon the subject, and also quoted from Scripture. The lecture was listened to very attentively throughout, and at its close the lecturer and the chairman were accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

A special meeting of members of the School of Arts was held in the large hall of the institution last evening to consider a proposal with respect to the transfer of the Technical College to the Government. The president (his Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer), having explained what had led to the calling of the meeting, a resolution was carried authorising the committee to lease to the Government certain rooms hitherto devoted to the work of the Technical College, and also the appliances used in connection therewith, at a rental of £1500 a year. The resolution provided, however, for the School of Arts retaining the right to use the hall on Monday and Saturday evenings, and whenever a meeting of the members might be convened. A fuller report appears elsewhere.

At a public meeting held in St. Mark's schoolroom, Darling Point, on Monday evening, some of the friends of the Rev. E. C. Spicer met that gentleman to express their sorrow at the severance of his connection with the parish as curate of St. Mark's. Mr. James Watson took the chair, and in a few words expressed the deep regret of himself and many of the congregation of St. Mark's in losing Mr. Spicer's valuable services in the parish. A farewell address was then read by Mr. Page, and on behalf of the subscribers the chairman presented to Mr. Spicer a purse containing 52 guineas.

The annual meeting of the Hunter's Hill and Gladesville Horticultural Society was held in the council chambers, Hunter's Hill, on Monday evening last, when the following office-bearers were elected:—President, Mr. R. D. Fitzgerald; committee, Messrs. C. J. Manning, H. C. D'Ardier, W. Owen, A. C. Garrick, R. M. Pearson, E. M. Betts, W. Campbell, and A. Weeks; treasurer, Mr. D'Ardier; secretary, Mr. Weeks. A vote of thanks was tendered to the secretary for his exertions on behalf of the society; and to Messrs. Owen and Manning for the very excellent exhibits sent by them to the meetings during the past year. There was a very good display of plants, principally cinerarias, and cut flowers on view, and were duly admired by a numerous attendance of members and their friends. Mrs. Garrick exhibited a beautiful bouquet of white flowers, for which she was awarded a certificate of merit; Miss Campbell, hand bouquet; Miss S. Garrick, Miss A. Garrick, and Miss M. Park, bouquets of wild flowers; Miss E. Manning, buttonhole bouquets; Mrs. Gerrard, collection of ranunculus; Mr. Garrick staged 26 plants of cinerarias, and was awarded a special, as well as the society's prize, for the best six; 12 cut flowers, and a table of camellias, cinerarias, and lycopodium, securing a certificate of merit for the latter. Mr. W. Owen had 10 cinerarias (prize for best three), collection of annuals (prize), 12 cut pansies (prize), collection of pansies (certificate of merit), 12 cut flowers, 6 pot grown pansies (prize), and a fine orchid, Phanis grandifolius (certificate of merit). Mr. C. J. Manning, 9 cinerarias (prize for best single plant), 12 pansies in pots, collection of cut pansies, collection of annuals, 12 cut flowers (prize); Mr. Weeks, collection of cut flowers.

A London correspondent writes:—"The Royal Academy of Jurisprudence at Madrid has unanimously elected Mr. William Grain, the notary, of Gresham House, London, one of its corresponding members. The diploma is rarely conferred upon a foreigner, but in Mr. Grain's case it is understood that his works on the Real Property Registration Law of Spain and the Testamentary and Succession Laws of Chili constituted a special qualification for holding the Academy's diploma."

The Geographical Society of Australasia will hold its second monthly meeting to-morrow evening, at the Free Public Library. We understand that information has been received that on the same evening a meeting will be held in Melbourne of the members of the associated body and persons interested in geographical research, at which the members of the General Council for the province of Victoria and the local officers will be appointed. In Adelaide a preliminary meeting was lately held at the residence of Mr. C. Todd, the Government Astronomer, and president of the Royal Society of South Australia. His Honor Chief Justice Way was in the chair. Little doubt is entertained that an affiliated society will soon be established in the South Australian capital, as there is a considerable number of persons there who take a deep interest in Australian geography, and the work of exploration. At the meeting to be held in Sydney to-morrow evening, Mr. Alexander Morton will read a paper on the inhabitants of the islands in Torres Straits and the south-east coast of New Guinea, which he visited for the purpose of collecting natural history specimens for the Australian Museum. The paper will be illustrated with sketches, showing the mode of building adopted by the natives, views of villages, designs of ornaments, arms, &c., and it will afford valuable information on the customs of the tribes inhabiting those interesting parts of Australasia.

On Friday evening last, the new Public schools at Wattle Flat was opened by Mr. E. Combes, C.M.G., in the presence of a large gathering of teachers and friends, and some 150 children. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. G. Suttor; and Mr. Sydney Smith, the colleague of Mr. Combes in the representation of the district, was also present. An address of welcome, and expressive of confidence in the members was presented to them, and suitably replied to. Mr. Combes, in declaring the schools to be open, addressed the audience on the subject of education and its advantages generally, but made special allusion to the necessity for technical education being given in Public schools, in order to fit the children for their work in after life; and he hoped the teachers present would bear this important matter in mind. He pointed out that the colony now spent a very large sum of money in primary education, and it was highly desirable that such subjects as were common to almost all handicrafts, especially drawing, and the rudiments of mechanics of mechanics and agriculture, should be taught in the Public schools. He stated that the Government had already taken action in this respect by appointing a board who had taken those subjects into their consideration, and he hoped soon to see technical education given in all the Public schools of the colony. A vote of thanks to Mr. Combes for his valuable address was carried. On the previous evening a banquet was tendered to the two members for East Macquarie, at which Mr. Sydney Smith attended, but Mr. Combes was unavoidably absent, owing to sickness in his family.

The consecration of the German Church, Goulburn-street, took place last Sunday. The Rev. H. Herlitz, of Melbourne, performed the service, which was in German. The attendance was very large, every available space being taken up some time before the service commenced. A great many were unable to obtain admission at all. The singing was led by an excellent choir, under the leadership of Mr. Christian B. Susemilch, whose musical abilities are well known. The church was very tastefully decorated with ivy.

Messrs. Bradley, Newton, and Lamb, of O'Connell-street, gave the annual picnic to their employees on Saturday last. The party, consisting of about 160 persons, were conveyed to Chowder Bay, where a very pleasant day was spent. An excellent programme of sports was carried out with great spirit. At the luncheon, which was held in the pavilion, Mr. Walter Bradley presided. Mr. Edward Newton and Mr. Charles F. Lamb, the other members of the firm, also occupied seats at the head of the table. Mr. Waldron, bookkeeper, who has been in the employment of the firm for 20 years, proposed the toast of the firm, speaking in very complimentary terms of the employers. The chairman responded to the toast, and proposed that of the employees. The toast was responded to by Mr. Willoughby, cashier; Mr. Cassidy, clerk of works; Mr. Angellinetta, chief salesman; and Mr. Albin, the latter of whom has been in the employment of the firm for 27 years.

We are informed that a cablegram has been received from the Rev. James Hill, M.A., of Fraserburgh, Scotland, intimating his acceptance of the pastorate of the Congregational Church, Bourke-street, Sydney. He leaves England with his family, per steamship Sorata, on the 20th instant, and therefore will arrive in Sydney early in November. The Rev. Mr. Hill studied under Principal Caird, of Glasgow, and has for the past 10 years been one of the most successful ministers at home. He will no doubt receive a cordial welcome to this city and colony.

Judge Cope intimated in the Melbourne County Court on the 13th instant that for the future he would not allow barrister's costs in a case unless the barrister who conducted the case appeared in wig and gown.

An application was made to Mr. Buchanan, S.M., at the Water Police Court yesterday afternoon, by Mr. J. T. O'Connell, solicitor, on behalf of a seaman named Edward Arnold, who is under committal on a charge of stabbing the master of the barque Colwyn, to issue a writ of habeas corpus to procure the attendance of the prisoner at court, in order to institute proceedings against the prosecutor. The application was brought under the 452nd section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act. Mr. Buchanan refused to grant it, on the ground that he had no jurisdiction in the matter.

Yesterday, before Mr. Buchanan, S.M., at the Water Police Court, M. A. Abbott was fined £5 and costs, or in default one month's imprisonment, for selling oysters at the Randwick Racecourse without a license. Her defence was that she had transferred the oyster-stall purchased by her at Kirk's Bazaar to a licensed dealer, who paid her wages for selling for him. Mr. Buchanan said he had already ruled that every person dealing in or selling oysters must have a license.

The flogging of Frederick Mildwater, who on Monday was sentenced at the Water Police Court to receive 24 lashes for a gross offence on board the steamer Glenelg, took place in the yard of the Woolloomooloo lockup at noon yesterday. A number of police officials and Dr. Egan, the police surgeon, were the only persons present while the flogging was administered. This punishment is the first of the kind which has been inflicted under the Criminal Law Amendment Act.

Shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday a small fire occurred on the premises of Dr. Houison, at 144, Philip-street. It appears that a workman was engaged in removing paint from one of the windows of the house, and was using a spirit lamp, which came into contact with the curtains and ignited them. The alarm was given, and three brigades turned out promptly, but the fire was extinguished with a few buckets of water. The window-curtains were destroyed, and the carpet and furniture in the room was considerably damaged. The contents were insured in the Victoria Insurance Company's office.

From an administrative point of view (observes the *Pall Mall Gazette*) Carey's murder is a serious calamity. It is a grim and unmistakable reminder of the power of the Irish Invincible. His arm is long, his tenacity is that of the sleuth-hound, and those whom he has marked for destruction in vain flee to the uttermost parts of the earth to escape from his vengeance. The very ship that carried to sea the wretched fugitive carried, it may be in the same steerage, the avenger, and before he could set foot on land he was shot down without mercy. South Africa, no doubt, was selected as a refuge because there are fewer Irish there than in our other colonies. But

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the Irish race is ubiquitous. One of Carey's sisters is in San Francisco, another in Australia. No one knows whither his brother has fled. James Carey was killed in South Africa. As it is with the Careys so it is with the nation to which they belong. They are ubiquitous, and their ubiquity is perhaps the chief reason why the Irish problem to-day is insoluble by the methods which were efficacious before the Irish Hegira.

At the Wesleyan Conference recently held at Hull (says the *European Mail*, of August 10), a request for additional ministerial students for New South Wales and Queensland was considered, on the motion of Dr. Osborn, seconded by the Rev. J. Kilner. An amendment that the Australian Church should bear one-third of the cost of training all ministers they received was carried by a majority of 46. Dr. Osborn said that after that vote he considered the application to be at an end, or, at any rate, he could not take further steps till after the Australian conference.

Some German papers want to make out that Mr. Gladstone's display of anxiety to establish good relations with France has attracted notice in high quarters. It is also contended that the Premier commands little sympathy in German official circles, even though all the moral support of German diplomacy has been given to England's Egyptian policy. We are told, indeed, that the "anxiety" referred to might have produced some coldness on the part of Germany had not Lord Granville come to the rescue with the announcement that the relations between England and Germany were very cordial.

THE CHARGES AGAINST THE REV. CHARLES STRONG.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

At the meeting of the Presbytery of Melbourne, this morning, the case of the Rev. Charles Strong was further considered. The Rev. Dr. M'Donald gave in his report regarding the meeting held lately in the Scots' Church, remarking, as he did so, "That never before had he so painful a task to perform, or one which he did with deeper sorrow." A memorial, which has already been published, signed by a large number of persons who had been visited by the Scots' Church District Society, and who resided principally in the back slums of Melbourne, was received, and the delegates who were appointed at the meeting of the congregation attended and presented the memorial which had been adopted there. After an explanation as to the nature of the memorial regarding the District Society, the Moderator called upon the Rev. D. S. M'Eachran to state the charges he preferred against the Rev. Mr. Strong. To this course a number of members objected, desiring Mr. Strong's resignation to be considered first. Mr. H. R. Reid formally moved that the resignation be not adopted. The Moderator declined to receive this motion. The Revs. J. Hay and W. G. Fraser, and Mr. W. K. Thomson thereupon urged that Mr. Strong's resignation should be considered first, and the Rev. J. Hay moved that the Moderator's ruling in this respect be disagreed with, which was negatived. The Rev. Mr. M'Eachran then proceeded with his charges. In the course of an extremely long speech, he said the duty he now undertook had been laid on him by many prominent ministers and elders of the Church. An outrage had been committed on the Christian community, and he considered that Mr. Justice Higinbotham's recent lecture could not be passed over without calling the Rev. Mr. Strong to account. To fail to do so would be to admit themselves guilty of moral cowardice. Since notice had been given of his motion, the Rev. Mr. Strong had resigned; but that course did not remove the reason for the Presbytery vindicating itself. He reviewed Judge Higinbotham's lecture at great length, and said that he held Mr. Strong responsible for it. That lecture had been delivered avowedly for the purpose of giving publicity and support to Mr. Strong, who had made no protest against it. He did not even whisper his dissent from it. The published teachings of Mr. Strong were precisely on the lines of the lecture. Judge Higinbotham has said clearly and distinctly what Mr. Strong had himself said dimly and ambiguously. The whole drift of the Rev. Mr. Strong's teaching had lowered the Scriptures in the esteem of men in the article on the Atonement. It represented the Apostles Matthew, Mark, and Luke, St. Peter and St. James, as having taught different doctrines from those taught by St. Paul and St. John. Mr. Strong had also expressed his approval of a lecture in which the Rev. J. Lambie said that Isaiah and Jeremiah were in their day what Dickens and Thackeray were now, and in which the hope was expressed that the time would come when ministers would take a text from Froude, instead of from the Bible. His teaching regarding the Atonement was quite in a line with Judge Higinbotham's. The Rev. Mr. Strong had brought a man to his church to say plainly what he had not the courage and manliness to say himself. (Hisses.) The Rev. Mr. M'Eachran continued by saying that no hissing would influence him. (Cries of "Shame, shame.") The Moderator called for order, and Mr. M'Eachran resumed, charging Mr. Strong with having been from the first a disturber of the peace of the Church. Further interruptions occurred in the audience, and it was threatened that the Court would be cleared, which elicited the remark that the Presbytery had suffered enough from closed doors. The Rev. Mr. M'Eachran concluded, by remarking that the Rev. Mr. Strong would do away with the doctrines of the incarnation, the atonement, and the resurrection. He had hymns printed for his Sunday-school, which were as destitute of Christianity as the State school-books, and a catechism which might be termed a Unitarian catechism, with not one word about the divinity of Christ. He (Mr. M'Eachran) knew that he would encounter obloquy and abuse, but he had performed his duty. There would be turmoils and heartburnings in the Church, but that must be met. The Rev. S. Robinson followed in a similar strain to Mr. M'Eachran. The Rev. J. Hay thought the charges brought by the Rev. Mr. M'Eachran were not serious enough for inquiry. After an able defence, the Rev. C. Strong moved that there was no ground for the charges made by the Rev. Mr. M'Eachran. Mr. W. K. Thomson seconded the amendment. After further discussion, Dr. M'Donald moved,—"That the Presbytery accept the resignation of the Rev. Charles Strong, of the pastorate of the Scots' Church, also his connexion with the Presbyterian Church of Victoria; the question of giving a certificate to be referred to the general Assembly." The Rev. W. G. Fraser moved, as a further amendment,—"That it is unnecessary and inexpedient to take further action in the matter at present." He said it was not a question between Mr. Strong and the Presbytery; it was a question whether they were to be a united Church, as division was going on. He warmly defended Mr. Strong, and objected to the Presbytery offering an insult to him and his congregation by asking questions as to his doctrines. The Rev. J. M. Abernethy remarked that Mr. Strong had served the Scots' Church as faithfully as any man could; he was doing a grand work outside his Church also. Mr. M'Eachran had not shown that Mr. Strong was responsible for, or contented with, Judge Higinbotham's lecture. However, he would move,—"That the charges are of such a grave and serious nature as to demand further investigation, and that the Presbytery appoint the Rev. Mr. M'Eachran to carry out such investigation according to the laws of the Church." The Rev. S. Robinson moved a motion calling on the Rev. Charles Strong to answer certain questions bearing on points of his doctrine in question. Eventually, after a discussion lasting all day, which was watched with great interest, and amidst frequent manifestations of warm feeling, by a large congregation, the matter was further postponed till Thursday.

SIR GEORGE GREY AND THE KING OF HAWAII ON ANNEXATION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

WELLINGTON (N. Z.), Tuesday.

A petition is being drafted at Sir George Grey's suggestion, in Auckland, to send for signature to Samoa, asking for the annexation of that island to New Zealand. This action is consequent on Samoan advices and information received by the mail.

King Kalakaua, of Hawaii, visits the colonies in June. His Government has sent a protest to the European Powers and America against Polynesian annexation. It urges the beneficial results of a joint guarantee of the independence of Hawaii, and claims similar privileges for kindred people.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[By Electric Telegraph.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(From our own correspondent.)

THE AMSTERDAM EXHIBITION.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The following special awards have been proclaimed in connection with the Amsterdam International Exhibition:—Diplomas of honour to his Majesty the King of Holland, and to the Prince of Wales; extra class award to Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New South Wales; and ordinary class to the Governments of New South Wales and Western Australia.

THE PUBLIC DEBT ACT.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The Public Debt Act, passed last session to enable the Chancellor of the Exchequer to substitute £75,000,000 of terminable annuities for a period of 20 years, in view of the annuities falling due in 1885, is being brought into operation.

THE FRENCH IN TONQUIN.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The operations of the French troops in Tonquin have been suspended for the present. The French commander is awaiting the arrival of reinforcements from France before making any further forward movement. General Bonet, who was in command at Hanoi, has been superseded, and the command of the two divisions of the army has now been placed under Colonels Bichot and Badens.

SPECIAL RESIDENT MAGISTRACY IN IRELAND.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The office of special resident magistrates in Ireland has been abolished.

[Reuter's Telegrams.]

AN IMMIGRANT SHIP IN COLLISION.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The ship St. Leonards, 1054 tons, bound to Lyttelton, New Zealand, with a general cargo, and having a number of immigrants on board, came into collision, while proceeding down the Channel, with another vessel. The St. Leonards foundered shortly afterwards. All on board, however, were saved, and subsequently landed at Dartmouth.

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Further details of the foundering of the St. Leonards show that the emigrants had no time to remove anything before quitting the ship, and lost the whole of their personal effects.

FRANCE AND CHINA.

PARIS, Sept. 17.

It is announced that M. Challemel-Lacour, Minister for Foreign Affairs, has decided to take a short *congé*, during which his portfolio will be taken by M. Jules Ferry. The above is regarded as a peaceful indication, and is considered to show a desire on the part of the French Government to avert the threatened rupture with China. Nothing definite, however, has transpired in regard to the progress of negotiations which are being carried on through the Marquis Tseng and M. Waddington.

CETEWAYO CALLED UPON TO SURRENDER.

NATAL, Sept. 18.

Sir Henry Bulwer, Governor of Natal, has sent a formal communication to Cetewayo, calling upon him to surrender, otherwise he will be arrested by the British troops, who are watching his movements.

MR. GLADSTONE.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

Mr. Gladstone, who is cruising on the coasts of Denmark and Norway, left Copenhagen on his return to England to-day.

THE ASSASSIN OF CAREY.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

O'Donnell, the assassin of James Carey, the Irish informer, at the Cape, landed at Plymouth to-day.

NEW ZEALAND FROZEN MEAT.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The cargo of frozen meat ex Opawa, from New Zealand, has been found in good condition, but the quality is inferior to previous shipments. The first portion was sold to-day at 6½d. to 6¾d. per lb.

THE S.S. BULIMBA.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Bulimba arrived at Aden yesterday.

THE S.S. DEVONSHIRE.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

The s.s. Devonshire arrived at Colombo to-day, outwards.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Legislative Assembly, this evening, on the motion of the Hon. James Service, seconded by Major Smith, adjourned in memory of the late Mr. M'Gregor, one of the members for Emerald Hill.

The board appointed to inquire into the charges of favouritism, &c., brought by the employees against the Government Printer, has concluded taking evidence, and will now consider its report.

The Education Commission has examined Dr. Brownless, Vice-Chancellor of the Melbourne University, and a prominent member of the Roman Catholic Church, who in his evidence advocated payment by results, and a Government inspector of all Roman Catholic schools. He thought the Roman Catholic Church was fully entitled to one-fourth of the educational vote.

The Colonial Secretary has received important despatches from the Agent-General and Major-General Scratchley, stating that 540 Morris tubes and 250,000 cartridges have been despatched to the colony for practice. He also informs the Government that Lord Alcester has expressed his approval of the defences proposed for Port Phillip.

Mr. P. Macgregor, one of the members for Emerald Hill in the Legislative Assembly, died this morning. He was seized with serious illness whilst at a football match some time ago, and never recovered consciousness.

A consignment of guns and shot, intended for the fortifications at the Heads, has been just received from London.

The Victorian Cricketers' Association has decided, conditional on the consent of the New South Wales Association, to play an intercolonial match between Victoria and New South Wales on next Boxing Day. The proposed match with South Australia cannot be played until next February. Mr. W. H. Cooper has been chosen selector of the team.

One of the workmen who was dreadfully injured at the recent fall of part of a building in Collins-street died this morning in the Melbourne Hospital. The unfortunate man never regained consciousness. At the subsequent inquest the coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

At the Central Criminal Court, this morning, George Hooper, who has recently attained some notoriety in connection with the Carter insolvency case, was fined £4 0s. for making a false declaration regarding the registration of the birth of one of Mrs. Carter's infants.

The Mercantile Marine Association last night considered a letter from the Sydney Association, complaining that candidates for the pilot service in Victoria had to cast the lead. The Sydney Association think that derogatory work for master mariners. A reply has been sent that their object was to familiarise successful candidates with the depths of water.

Extensive alterations and additions to the Melbourne Athenæum have been declared necessary by the committee. The estimated cost is to be inquired into.

At Lilydale, near Melbourne, 62 bushels of wheat per acre were obtained last year from land treated with lime.

Captain Alan Thomas, the new naval commander for Victoria, is 39 years old. He joined the Imperial service in 1856, and has seen active service in Egypt. He will serve the colony for four years.

Alfred Croker, signalman at Newmarket station, was brought up at the Central Criminal Court to-day on a charge of neglect of duty in connection with the recent railway accident. He was remanded.

The Ordinance Inquiry Board took further evidence to-day regarding the alleged exercise of undue political influence by Mr. W. E. Murphy, secretary to the Trade Societies. Mr. Murphy was called, and denied the charges brought against him, which other witnesses have as positively sworn to.

The shops commission took additional evidence to-day from the bootmakers, principally relative to the employment of juveniles, who were shown to be in many cases inadequately taught during their apprenticeship. Complaint was made also of children being turned out of the factories after a certain time, in order to give place to still younger and consequently cheaper ones.

A report has been received to the effect that there is now no grass at Cow Plains Station, in the Wimmera district, which formerly was one of the finest grazing properties in the Wimmera, but now, owing to the ravages of the rabbit, is said to be incapable of carrying any stock.

The Tariff Commission to-day further considered the chairman's draft report, chiefly respecting the proposal to impose certain fixed duties on hats and caps. The proposal to this effect was negatived in favour of an amendment to create a fixed duty of 12s. per dozen on felt hats, and 8s. per dozen on caps.

A central astronomical bureau has been established at Kiel, in the south of Denmark, to which place, in future, all astronomical telegrams will be sent from all parts of the world. Liberal arrangements have been made by the telegraph companies, who have compiled a special code for these scientific messages. At the Melbourne Observatory, the central office of Australia, Professor Ellery will exchange scientific news with Kiel. The first telegram under the new system was received by Mr. Ellery a few days ago, regarding a new comet, which had been discerned in the path of the great comet of 1882.

In the Divorce Court to-day, the Chief Justice granted an application for divorce in the case of Hickling v. Hickling, this being an application on the part of the husband on the ground of adultery on the part of his wife, who is receiving a private income of her own amounting to £900 a year.

William J. White, vinegar maker, who has been brought back from Sydney to answer charges of wholesale forgery, was brought up at the City Court this morning, and committed for trial on two of the charges.

The champion merino ram exhibited at the recent Ballarat show has just been shorn; its fleece weighed 18lb. 1oz.

The Hon. D. Gillies is expected to make an important statement in the Assembly to-morrow night regarding the intentions of the Government with respect to the rival brakes.

An inquest was held at Ballarat to-day touching the death of the young man Mills, captain of a football club, from injuries he had received whilst playing football. The evidence showed that his death was caused by rupture of the intestines. The jury, having returned a verdict in accordance with the medical testimony, added a rider expressing their opinion that the rules of the football clubs should be so modified as to lessen the danger of accidents arising from rough play occurring in future.

The Melbourne Hospital Committee has resolved not to hold the usual annual ball this year, as the past results were not sufficiently satisfactory.

The University Senate this evening negatived a motion of Professor Manson in favour of framing a statute recognising other universities.

Arrangements have been made for holding an exhibition of sporting appliances on a large scale, in the Exhibition-building, during the month of October.

The Victorian Chamber of Manufactures has further considered Mr. Mirams' draft report on the tariff. During the discussion Mr. Nathaniel Levi advocated a duty on coal. The discussion otherwise was of a general character.

The woolshed and stabling at Tandorook station, near Camperdown, were burnt down this morning, and an employee whose carelessness is supposed to have caused the fire was very nearly suffocated. He was severely burnt.

A man named Joseph Hodinolt was thrown from his horse at Traralgon this morning, breaking his leg in two places.

The Norman-Percheron horses received by the importer, Mr. William Learmonth, were offered for sale to-day, and were disposed of as follows:—Figaro, a dappled grey, to Mr. Darcy, of Oxley, for 260 guineas; Mustapha, to Mr. J. Campbell, of Durgaleer, New South Wales, for 180 guineas; Bayard, a bay horse, to Mr. M'Farland, of North Yathong, New South Wales; L'Africaine, a black horse, to Mr. A. Deans, of Ararat, for 170 guineas.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The arrangements are completed for the initiation of an annual sheep fair at Brisbane. The first sale will be held on the 3rd and 4th October. The number of sheep entered for the first sale are 450, all from the best flocks of Tasmania. The sheep will be submitted in 199 different lots, all of which will be disposed of without reserve. Mr. Savoury will act as auctioneer.

The Hon. S. W. Griffith was enthusiastically welcomed by the Liberal Association at Bundaberg last night. He was dragged through the town in his buggy, accompanied by a torchlight procession, to his hotel, where he addressed a large crowd. In the course of his speech he said he was certain that the result of the late elections would put him again in power. Mr. Griffith left for Rockhampton this morning.

The smallpox patients at the quarantine station are reported as doing well. There have been no further cases.

Ferguson, the driver of the train which caused a collision on the Sandgate line some months ago, and who then was very seriously injured, has been notified that his services are dispensed with as engine-driver; but if he chooses, he will be employed as a shunter.

Tenders were received yesterday for No. 70 section of the central railway (53 miles). The lowest tender was that of Messrs. O'Rourke and Co., £87,977. The contract for the construction of the railway from Mackay to Eton and Hamilton (30 miles) was also tendered for. The lowest tender was from Messrs. J. Smith and Sons, £41,507.

The weather to-day was fine and warm.

At the criminal sittings of the Supreme Court at Rockhampton to-day, Jango, an aboriginal, was sentenced to death for the murder of a girl named Eliza Mills at Dingo, on July 10 last year. George, another aboriginal, was sentenced to death for rape on the person of Johanna Anderson, a girl aged 12, at Gracemere.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

In the action brought by Messrs. Rawlings and Son against the captain of the Borealis, to recover damages for loss sustained, the jury found that the casks of spirits belonging to plaintiffs had been improperly stowed, and gave a verdict for the amount claimed.

The total strength of the Order of Rechabites in this colony is 5046, having funds at their disposal amounting to £40,118.

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Sydney brings news from the Mauritius to date August 25th. She sailed for Sydney and Melbourne at 8 a.m. to-day.

Fry's Cocoa Extract.—"Having the superfluous richness removed, this perfectly pure and digestible preparation meets the approval of the most fastidious taste."—British Trade Journal.—[Advt.]

Sanger and Sons' Eucalypti Extract.—Mosler M.D., Prof., University Griefswald, reports:—Diphtheria: Tonsils continually coherent, presenting ulcers, with white exudate. Cured in 14 days.—[Advt.]

PARLIAMENT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Council, attention was drawn to the publication by several provincial newspapers of sweepstakes, consultations, and lottery advertisements from Victoria, which was a violation of the Lotteries and Gaming Act. Reference was also made to the circulation of a Victorian journal containing similar advertisements. The Government promised that, if the publication of such advertisements of lotteries was made in the colony, being an infraction of the law, proceedings would be taken, but they could not deal with newspapers published in other colonies. Another futile effort was made to get the railway line to the Victorian border taken by Mason's Crossing, instead of at Nairne, on a motion for the erection of a bridge over the Murray at Mason's Crossing.

In the Legislative Assembly yesterday, the Chief Secretary, in replying to a question in reference to the Hon. James Service's circular concerning the annexation question, said the Government had not considered it yet, but they believed it would be desirable to ask Parliament to express an opinion about this matter. It was announced that Mr. J. P. Stow, editor of the *South Australian Advertiser*, had been engaged with a fee of £200 to write a handbook of this colony for the Calcutta and the Jubilee exhibitions. Great amusement was caused in the House at Mr. Tomkinson's motion, which was substantially to the effect that, the *Advertiser* newspaper having made scurrilous and offensive remarks upon several hon. members of the House, the printers and publishers of that paper were guilty of contempt. After a slight discussion, which was marked with much merriment, and in which the merits of the writers of the "Parliamentary Gossip" in the *Register* and *Advertiser* were freely canvassed, Mr. Tomkinson sought to withdraw his motion; but one member objecting, it went to a division, and was negatived without a single supporting vote. After this the discussion upon the taxation question was renewed. The bill imposing taxation was first brought forward in committee. The Hon. J. Colton proposed, as an amendment to the proposal respecting the taxation of land, that only the land, exclusive of its improvements, be taxed. This amendment was negatived, by 21 to 17 votes. Mr. Wood then moved to strike out the proposed tax on personal property, with a view of inserting a provision for an income tax. This amendment, also, was negatived by 18 to 16 votes. Then it was proposed to increase the amount exempt from £500 to £800. This amendment likewise was negatived by 18 to 17 votes. The whole clause, having been amended, was then thrown out; and thus the whole Government taxation schemes was lost by 17 votes to 16, the Opposition alleging that they wished the Government to introduce a better scheme. It is understood that the Government intend to re-introduce the measure.

PARLIAMENT OF TASMANIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

HOBART, Tuesday.

In the House of Assembly this evening the new Land Bill passed the second reading, and was referred to a select committee. It provides that every person has the right of selecting 320 acres at £1 per acre, but the selector must personally reside on the lot until the whole of the purchase money has been paid. Credit can, however, be taken, so that £120 can be paid in 13 years. The bill further provides for a proclamation of agricultural areas, in which roads and bridges are to be made. Not less than 1000, nor more than 5000 acres can be selected in this area. Selectors of 160 acres must reside on their selections, and within two years must erect a house, and must cultivate 1-20th of the ground each year. Payments can be made of 6d. per acre for the first two years, and 1s. per acre during seven years, and 2s. per acre in the tenth year; the balance to be remitted if the conditions are strictly complied with. The Scottsdale Railway Bill was passed. All the lines proposed were carried.

IRISH INFORMERS AND FRENCH CONVICTS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Hanlon and Kavanagh, two of the notorious Irish informers, remained quietly aboard the steamer Saghalien to-day. They were, however, most anxious to come ashore, but Detective Mackey successfully dissuaded them from doing so, pointing out the effect of Joseph Smith's unenviable experiences. They were very restless whilst on board, and the constables appointed to watch them were required to exercise a very strict surveillance. It is believed that they will land at the Mauritius. A number of persons visited the steamer yesterday. One person in a foolish freak struck a man who was pointed out to him on board the steamer as Hanlon, and finding he had made a mistake, an apology was given.

The Government have received a despatch from the Agent-General relative to the action taken in connection with the Irish informers. Mr. Murray Smith says he sent his protest to the Colonial Office on the 5th June. On the 8th—three days afterwards—he ascertained that it had been sent to the Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland; but notwithstanding, on the 15th June, without further notice, the informers were shipped and sent away in the steamer Pathan. Mr. Smith thinks, however, that the blame of this proceeding is attached less to the Colonial Office than to the Irish Executive, which trusted that the informers would not be discovered in Australia. On learning of their arrival in Melbourne, Mr. Smith wrote at once to the Earl of Derby, expressing the surprise and regret of the Victorian Government at the extraordinary course pursued. He pointed out, also, that there was a strong feeling amongst the colonists regarding the frequent escape of criminals from the French convict settlements in the Western Pacific, and alluded to the proposed new French scheme of transportation, which he considered an infamous scheme. He adds that since he wrote this project has actually become law, so that it is impossible to tell when a shipload of French miscreants may be sent out to the Pacific.

OFFICIAL INSPECTION OF COAST LIGHTS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

TERARA, Tuesday.

The members of the Marine Board, who are here on an official visit, left Green Cape on Sunday night and went to Ulladulla, and subsequently to Jervis Bay and Cape St. George, where at each place they carefully inspected the lighthouse. This morning the board landed at Point Perpendicular, and examined that locality to select a suitable site for a new lighthouse. They afterwards proceeded to Shoalhaven, where they remain to-night. To-morrow, after visiting Kiama, the party will return to Sydney.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[By Telegraph.]

ALBURY, Tuesday.

The following passed through to-day:—

For Sydney (by express): Miss Monaker, Mr. and Mrs. G. Raff, Miss Alexander, Mrs. C. Marks and child, Mrs. W. R. Cameron, Mr. R. Scott and servant, Miss Scott, Mrs. Page, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wimpole, Mrs Howard, Miss Howard, Messrs. J. R. Swift, Quin, Lister, Henry A. Marks, J. D. Falk, D. G. Falk, G. M. Mitchell, F. J. Hayek, W. H. Swallow, D. Johnson, R. Murphy, J. Madden, D. Holden, A. Nicol.

For Melbourne (by express): Mrs. Walter Butler, Dr. Ford, Mrs. N. Joseph, Mrs. Keiller, Mrs. Wyselaskie, Miss Wyselaskie, Miss Ferguson, Mrs. Littleton and child, Dr. and Mrs. Moloney, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Leighton, Mr. and Mrs. L. Zuker, Miss Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Turnbull, Messrs. J. F. Hunter, G. Gore, W. R. F. Moore, Hastings, Cunningham, J. Dutch, T. Lakeman, M. Griffiths, A. H. Burn, J. Collier.

For Melbourne (by ordinary train): Mrs. Balcombe, Misses Balcombe (2), Miss Wren, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burnett, nurse and 2 children, Mrs. Palmer, Rev. T. E. Owens Mell, Messrs. J. Bird, M. Koing, W. S. Kelly, S. Drennan, F. C. Backwell and daughter, J. Backwell, J. Rowan, P. Hunt, H. A. Wilcox.

For Sydney (by ordinary train): Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cadd, Mrs. Fordyce, Rev. R. T. Hills, Miss Fennelly, Messrs. G. Galton, T. D. Merton, J. Wilson, W. F. Dixon, C. Tynan.

LATER NEWS FROM MADAGASCAR.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

The M. M. steamer Sydney, which arrived from Marseilles yesterday, brings the following news from Madagascar up to the 12th August:—

No change had taken place in the respective positions of the belligerent parties. The French were still holding Tamatave. The Hovas were renewing their night attacks upon that place, without being more successful than before. Admiral Pierre left St. Denis on the 15th instant, on board the Caledonien (s.), for Marseilles. The cause of the French Admiral's sudden departure is not known. The Reunion newspapers say that he is going back to Europe, owing to the bad state of his health. Before leaving Reunion Admiral Pierre published in the official *Moniteur* a note, in reply to a telegram published in all the Mauritius papers concerning the doings of the French in connection with the case of the late Consul Pakenham. Admiral Pierre denies emphatically the accuracy of the news given in the telegram alluded to. He states in the first place that Andrianica, the alleged secretary to the British consul, was a Hova, and not a Britannic subject, and that Mr. Pakenham was never ordered to leave Tamatave, but that the French authorities contented themselves with warning the friends of the Consul that, if the latter persisted in having open communication with the Hovas, he would then be invited to leave Tamatave; but owing to the state of Mr. Pakenham's health, such an order was never given. The English officers were invited to attend the funeral of the English Consul, and were never prevented from returning to their vessel.

News from the capital of Madagascar, received up to July 20, states that the Queen of Madagascar is dead, and her successor had been proclaimed. The correspondent of the *Planter's Gazette* writes from Antananarivo, on July 11, 5 p.m., as follows:—"The red flag was hoisted to-day over Antananarivo, and the twelve holy mountains. The soldiers are flocking to arms, and, as far as I can judge, it will be war to the knife. No advice of English missionaries or others urging submission to the French would be listened to. Our latest dates from Europe are to May 20, and the French finances, Tonquin, and other difficulties are well known here, and also encourage the people to resist. At this moment the lives of the British subjects, Americans, and others are safe here, and apparently will be safe as long as the Prime Minister holds his own.

All was quiet at Antananarivo on July 20. Since the expulsion of the French the remaining foreigners, British, American, and Norwegian, with the German, are treated with the greatest respect. All communication with Tamatave and the outside world is cut off. About 2 a.m. on July 13, Antananarivo vibrated under what seemed to be an earthquake shock, and when day came it was announced that Queen Ranavalona II. had died during the hours of darkness, her successor being at once proclaimed under the title of Ranavalona III. The new Queen is the widow of Prince Ratrimo, who lately died. She is young and pretty. Everybody is in mourning, and all work, except the work of defending the country against the French, is at a standstill. The Prime Minister is still master of the situation. He says he will resist the French to the last. The greatest order prevails. The French refugees, Jesuits and others, who were expelled from the capital, are said to have entered Tamatave on or about June 22. They had a most bitter feeling against the English here, to whom they attributed their expulsion, and the bitter feeling said to exist at Tamatave between the French and English must have been accentuated by the arrival of these French refugees.

Regarding the detention of the English missionary, the *Planters' Gazette* says:—"We have obtained from Mr. Shaw himself all the particulars of his arrest at Tamatave, and his captivity on board the French man-of-war. We purpose laying them before our readers in the same language which the rev. gentleman used when interviewed by one of our reporters. Mr. Shaw, who is considered one of the most successful agents of the London Missionary Society, has accomplished a large amount of work in Madagascar during the last five or six years. He was the first missionary appointed to Tamative. He had spent several years as a missionary in the interior of this island, and enjoyed the esteem of everybody who knew him. On the 16th June last a detachment of French soldiers called at his place, and the officer in command told him he had received orders from his superiors to arrest and convey him to Tamatave Fort, whither Mr. Shaw was taken immediately. He was informed that he would be kept under arrest till his servants arrived at the Fort, as they appeared by their names to be Hovas. Mr. Shaw denied the fact and stated that they were Belsils. He was then placed in a tent under the guard of five armed soldiers, and was informed that if he endeavoured to escape he would be fired upon. For breakfast he received a piece of bread and meat. No utensils were given him. Although his servants came to the Fort a few hours afterwards, he was on the evening of the same day placed in the centre of the squad of soldiers, marched through the town to the landing place, and sent on board the French man-of-war Nievre. His servant and three other Europeans were released the following day. His treatment on board the vessel appears to have been very bad. Mr. Shaw stated that he was fed with the sailors; the rations were served in a bucket without a knife or fork, &c. Shortly afterwards he was seized with a serious attack of fever. While still suffering the steamer Taymouth Castle came into Tamatave, having on board a good number of passengers, among whom was Mrs. Shaw, his wife. The reverend gentleman, on being informed of this, asked as a favour that his wife, whom he had not seen for nearly two years might be allowed to see him for a few minutes on board the French vessel. The request was bluntly refused, nor was Mr. Shaw allowed to go on deck to wave to his wife as she passed alongside the Nievre, while on her way to ask the permission of Admiral Pierre to have a few minutes' talk with her husband. Eventually the Taymouth Castle left for Mauritius without Mr. Shaw having had an opportunity of speaking with his wife. Mr. Shaw obtained after his illness a little amelioration in diet through the good offices of the doctor of the Nievre, and appeared also to have been better treated than at the beginning of his confinement. Fifteen days after his arrest, Mr. Shaw was examined for the first time. He was accused of having tried to poison French soldiers, by placing poisoned claret in the vicinity of his house. He was fortunate enough to be able to prove by witnesses that several bottles of wine had been scattered by thieves. Mr. Shaw had no difficulty in demonstrating that on the same night, when wine was dispersed, he was not in his house, but was at a place a mile off, where he was keeping watch with his servants. Other people further indignantly denied that any wine had been poisoned. After the examination of Mr. Shaw he was transferred on board the flagship Flore, where his confinement was made still more severe. He was put in a cabin on the third deck, the door of which was kept closed, and an armed sentry was placed outside, who kept watch day and night. The prisoner was not allowed to leave this cabin except for an hour a day, nor was he permitted to speak to any one. He was only allowed to take a short promenade from the galley to the gangway, and not beyond that, and he was always followed by an armed sentry. After 22 days the prisoner was again examined, when Mr. Shaw found the charge against him altered. He was now accused of having not exercised sufficient prudence to prevent the French soldiers from being injured by drinking wine and other medicinal drugs which had been taken away from the mission dispensary, and which were found lying about the garden. The rev. gentleman, in answer to this charge, explained that the dispensary and the cellar had both been broken open by pillagers, and that bottles of medicine had been scattered in the garden. After about 11 days and subsequently he was advised to write to M. Pierre, offering to come to the Mauritius on parole, to return for the court-martial when sent for. He complied with this advice, and waited some days for a reply, which never came. The day before the man-of-war Nievere was to sail for Reunion, he was informed that as there was not sufficient evidence to warrant his being brought before a court-martial, and besides taking into account his nationality and other circumstances outside the case, he would be set at liberty; still, he was not allowed to go on shore at Tamatave, but was offered a passage in the Nievere to Bourbon, which he ultimately accepted, and from that time was entirely at liberty.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondents.)

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

The Stockton Coal Company's operations are being rapidly pushed ahead. Sinking will commence in about a month. All the appliances are ready. The seam was struck at 328 feet, and is 13 feet 4 inches thick. It is expected to start shipping coal in 10 months.

Mr. William Winders, one of the oldest inhabitants in the district, of 28 years' standing, died on Sunday, and was buried yesterday at Wallsend cemetery. He had been a very active public man, founder of co-operative societies, and one of the originators of the Co-operative Colliery, Plattsburg. He professed no religion, and Miss Ada Campbell, freethought lecturess, delivered an oration over his grave at his own request. He was 64 years of age.

The motion of Alderman Henderson's, condemning remarks of Alderman Lewis at the Creer sympathy meeting last week, as reflecting upon the Borough Council, was not put on account of the absence of Alderman Henderson, but will be re-tabled for next meeting.

The weekly export of coal was 32,661 tons.

A robbery is reported to have been committed at the A. A. Company's wharf, on Monday at midnight, upon an old man, by two men who stole £10 from him, and scampered off when the man called for assistance.

Much inconvenience and delay is experienced for want of seamen for outgoing vessels.

The third rehearsal of the oratorio of the "Messiah," under the conductorship of Professor H. J. King, took place this evening at the Protestant Hall, with great success. There were nearly 70 performers present. It is to be produced in the Christmas week at the Victoria Theatre.

The weather is fine.

GRAFTON, Tuesday.

The police have succeeded in arresting two men who, it is alleged, cut the rope of the Heads beacon, with a portion of the rope actually in their possession.

CANDELO, Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Harrison, of Bega, lectured to a good audience in the School of Arts last evening on the Duke of Wellington's career in Spain and Portugal. The lecture was entertaining and instructive.

We have had showery weather lately, and the grass is growing nicely.

Information has been obtained to the effect that the Government are likely to sanction the coast line of railway from Eden northwards, instead of the line to the tableland through this large productive district. Much indignation is expressed thereat, and the public here are likely to take action in the matter.

COONAMBLE, Tuesday.

At the Quarter Sessions to-day, before his Honor Judge Docker, a prisoner named English, convicted of an assault on a woman, was sentenced to three years' hard labour. William Fagan, for sheep-stealing, was sentenced to seven years on the roads. The Judge in this last case complimented the jury on their verdict, and at the same time alluded to the small amount of crime in the district.

CARCOAR, Tuesday.

The weather continues very fine. The late rain was very beneficial, and its effects are now plainly visible.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

The Quarter Sessions opened this morning, under his Honor Judge M'Farland, Mr. Backhouse being Crown Prosecutor. Mr. Edward Ball was sworn in as a magistrate.

A largely attended meeting in support of the Local Option League was held at the Mechanics' Institute this evening. The mayor, Mr. Davies, occupied the chair.

The weather remains exceptionally warm and fine for this time of year.

JERILDERIE, Tuesday.

Mr. Robert Barbour, one of the members for the Murray, addressed a large meeting at the Mechanics' Institute this afternoon. He spoke at great length, chiefly on the proposed new Land Bill, and was repeatedly applauded. A deputation from the Progress Committee waited upon him, and brought the wants of the town and district under his notice. Several Yanco selectors came in to see him. He was entertained at a complimentary banquet to-night, at which a large number attended. He leaves to-morrow for Moama.

TAREE, Tuesday.

An inquest was held yesterday, at Cundletown, on the body of a new-born infant found floating in the river in a sugarbag. A girl named Henrietta Crossingham, a servant in Cundletown, was committed for trial for the wilful murder of the child. Great excitement has been caused throughout the district at such an uncommon occurrence.

YOUNG, Tuesday.

A dreadful accident happened here to-day to a labourer named Patrick M'Gee, who was employed on a two-storied building in course of erection in the main street. He was engaged on the top of the building when by some means he lost his balance and fell a distance of about 35 feet; and but that his fall was broken by his coming against some joists on the first story, death must have been instantaneous. He received some ghastly wounds in the head and face, and was taken to the hospital. It is not known whether he can recover.

A contingent of the Salvation Army has paraded the streets for several nights prior to engaging in prayer and service. They have received rough treatment from the larrikins.

The weather to-day was extremely warm.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO A COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own correspondent.)

FORBES, Tuesday.

A shocking fatal accident happened here this morning. Mr. Lockrey, traveller for the firm of Messrs. Hoffnung and Co., left Forbes at 9 o'clock to-day for Grenfell, driving a trap to which a pair of horses were harnessed. He was accompanied by a groom. When about seven miles on the road, Mr. Lockrey wanted to change the winkers on the horses, and, as he was pushed for time, he objected to the man taking the horses out of the shafts, stating that he would change the winkers himself while they were attached to the conveyance. The groom, fearing an accident, began to unhitch the traces, but before he had done so Mr. Lockrey had both the winkers off the horses, which, becoming frightened, then started off, Mr. Lockrey the while clinging on to the pole. As the vehicle rushed past him, the groom heard him call out, "Save me!" It is supposed that the horses must have struck him with their feet, as when he was found lying on the road his head was smashed in. Notwithstanding his dreadful injuries he lived for two hours, but was quite unconscious. This afternoon his body was brought into town, and taken to Vanderberg's Hotel. It is said that the deceased has a wife and family living in Sydney. This was his first trip here. An inquest will be held to-morrow. Great regret is felt here at the sad occurrence, which has cast a gloom over the town.

MRS. HAMPSON'S MISSION.

The Exhibition building was crowded to the doors last night, when Mrs. Hampson delivered the third of her series of public addresses in connection with the evangelical mission which she is conducting in Sydney. She was listened to with deep interest and unbroken attention during a discourse which extended over an hour, and her appeals appeared to make considerable impression upon the more emotional portion of the vast audience which thronged the building. Mrs. Hampson has a good presence, a clear, ringing, and agreeable voice, remarkably clear enunciation, considerable dramatic power, both in speech and action, and such singular fluency that, although she speaks with great rapidity, she never once hesitates for a word or leaves a sentence incomplete. The matter of her addresses is free from anything like deep thought or studious research. Judging from her utterances, she believes implicitly in the Bible as a divinely inspired book, and accepts literally and in faith the story of the fall of man, the influence of a devil, the existence of a hell, and the authenticity of other contested points of theological doctrine. She appeals to her hearers not to quibble and quarrel about points of doctrine, but to throw themselves at the feet of Almighty God and beseech His aid in seeking salvation. She regards it as her duty simply to "preach Christ, and Him crucified," and the whole of her addresses are appeals based on that simple doctrine. Her language is well chosen, and her addresses are forcible and well put together. She is undoubtedly an eloquent preacher of the emotional class, but not more so than many male preachers whose names are familiar to the public, but who do not attract anything like the attention which Mrs. Hampson has excited. The novelty of hearing a female preacher, her reputation for eloquence and splendid elocutionary powers, and the excitement of revival services on a large scale, have combined to arouse the interest of the public; and her services are attended by people of all creeds and classes, and probably by many who never enter a church and profess no particular faith. These services consist only of singing, prayer, and an address, followed by gatherings in the inquiry rooms. Mrs. Hampson also conducts meetings for prayer and praise, and for social purposes during the day.

THE MINISTERIAL PARTY AT THE CLARENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)

GRAFTON, TUESDAY.

This morning the Ministers and the majority of members who came from Sydney were driven round to the various public institutions. They first inspected the Public school, where the children sang the National Anthem. Ministers were informed that out of 550 on the roll, the average attendance was 480. The visitors then proceeded to the post and telegraph office, where the necessity of enlarged accommodation was pointed out. The gaol and courthouse were also inspected. The party then proceeded down Prince-street, to where the triumphal arch had been erected for yesterday's reception, and here one item in the programme which had been arranged for the entertainment of the Ministers upon landing, but which, owing to the lateness of the hour, had to be abandoned, was duly brought off. This was the appearance of several aboriginals in full war paint, and with boomerangs and spears complete. They went through a war dance, and their appearance, though hideous, was amusing and, in some respects, interesting.

After inspecting the public institutions, the Ministers returned to their hotel, where they were waited upon by a large deputation, consisting of the Mayor and aldermen of the city, and other leading citizens, who desired to bring under their notice the urgent necessity for a proper water supply, and to draw attention to other local wants. Mr. See, M.L.A., having briefly introduced the deputation, Mr. Samuel See said that the first matter he wished to refer to was water supply. The only means of supply at present was rain; and as they had a continuation of dry weather for the past five or six months, they had been dependent upon well water, which was of a very inferior description. This matter had been brought before the Government on several occasions by the borough council, but hitherto they had failed in eliciting a favourable reply. He hoped the Ministers would consider this matter most favourably and grant what was most needed. A survey had been made from Urara to Grafton with a view to water supply, and the cost of bringing the water from that place to Grafton would be very small indeed. The next matter was the necessity of connecting North and South Grafton by a bridge. The traffic between the two places was very great indeed, and though they had a steamer plying night and day it was a very primitive means of conveying passengers and goods from one part of the river to the other, and considering the amount of money the district contributed to the revenue, he thought they had a right to claim that the two towns should be connected. The next question was that of clearing Alumny Creek. This matter had been brought before the late Government, and the report made upon the application was that it was a purely municipal matter. They, however, claimed that it was not, and that it was the duty of the Government to clear this creek, on the ground that it was in the vicinity of the public institutions they visited that morning, the sanitary condition of which would be seriously affected unless the creek was cleared. Until it was cleared they were powerless in the matter of draining the city.

Mr. BAWDEN also referred to the requirements mentioned by the previous speaker, and in regard to the bridge, pointed out that the traffic was becoming so great as to justify the construction of a bridge to facilitate communication between North and South Grafton and the northern and southern portions of the colony.

Mr. WRIGHT said that he was quite prepared to admit that Grafton wanted a water supply very badly, but while admitting this he would point out that the borough council had neglected their duty in this matter in a greater degree than the Government. The Municipalities Act enabled municipal councils to have works carried out by the Government upon giving a guarantee for interest upon the outlay, and this would not affect the income of the councils in any way, because they would be recouped by the amount paid for water rates. In other places the Government were constructing water supply works upon a guarantee from municipal councils, and when these works were completed they would be handed over to the councils, who would derive an income from them. If the Grafton borough council had offered to guarantee the interest on the money required, the work would have been undertaken. That was all the answer he could give them, and if that guarantee was given the work would be undertaken at an early period. As to the bridge over the Clarence, the expenditure upon such a work would be a very heavy item, and no Government would be justified constructing the bridge until the railway route was fixed. He thought also that when constructed it should be a railway as well as a road bridge. The question was a very large and important one, involving an expenditure of £200,000 or £300,000, and was one which must be seriously considered. He could promise nothing until the question of the railway route was absolutely and definitely settled. The Government proposed submitting a comprehensive scheme of railway extension, embracing all parts of the colony, and it was quite possible that the bridge from North to South Grafton would then be taken into consideration. As to clearing Alumny Creek, he knew that the Department had taken the view that within the town boundaries it was a municipal matter. The Government during the last session gave a fair endowment to municipalities, and they proposed submitting to Parliament a bill for local government which would be sufficiently ample to enable these works to be carried out by the people themselves, because it was possible that in that bill the colony would not only be divided into municipalities but municipal areas.

The question of repairing the gaol was subsequently mentioned, as well as the necessity of having a magazine for the storage of gunpowder. In regard to the former question, Mr. Dibbs, while giving a favourable reply as far as the repairs were concerned, said he was opposed to the construction of additional gaols, and thought that Trial Bay might be made a gaol for the Northern districts. If the Government remained in office they would have to take up the question of gaol discipline generally, and they would not be disposed to increase the number of gaols, but make the punishment of prisoners more deterrent than it was now. As to the powder magazine, he pointed out that under the Explosives Act the council had power to erect a building, and if the work was undertaken by the Government they would have to appoint an officer to look after it.

In the afternoon the Ministers, with several other members from Sydney, visited the local hospital, and inspected the institution, and subsequently they were driven to the various places of interest outside the city.

THE BANQUET.

The banquet took place in the evening, at the Theatre Royal, which was tastefully decorated with flowers, palms, &c., and festoons of evergreens. Although the banquet was originally fixed for half-past 7 o'clock, it did not commence until after 8 o'clock, the Ministers and other visitors being escorted to the theatre by the local fire brigade, who formed a torchlight procession, headed by the Grafton band. Mr. Samuel See, Mayor of Grafton, occupied the chair, having Mr. Dibbs on his right and Mr. Wright on his left. Mr. W. Goodyer occupied the vice-chair. About 80 persons sat down, and the catering was carried out efficiently by Mr. J. J. Smith. Dinner being over, the Mayor announced that he had received apologies from the Mayors of Casino, Lismore, and Ballina; and also Mr. Foote, of Grafton, who, owing to a bereavement, was unable to be present. The usual loyal toasts having been proposed and duly honoured,

The VICE-CHAIRMAN proposed "The Parliament," for which Messrs. Poole, Melville, Targett, Withers, and Merriman returned thanks, each gentleman returning their cordial acknowledgements for the kind reception accorded to them, and expressing their surprise at the wealth and resources of the Clarence district.

The CHAIRMAN then called upon the company to drink to the toast of "The Ministry." (Cheers.) He had hoped, some few days ago, that they should have had the pleasure of welcoming the Premier, but unforeseen circumstances had prevented him from coming; but he believed his absence had resulted in the presence of Mr. Wright, who was a very good substitute, considering that he had arrived at a particular time when they required some extensive works done in the district. They had the Minister for Works and they also had the Treasurer, whose duty it was to spend the money, and they were therefore fortunate to get them. He believed they intended to make grand promises that evening; and, if Parliament gave them the necessary support, they were likely to carry out those promises. No doubt the next session would be one fraught with great danger to the Ministry, at least so speculation said; and that danger would arise in connection with their Land Bill. However, he hoped that the measure would meet with the support of a majority of members at any rate, and that the Ministry would have a chance to carry out other very much needed reforms. Of the ability of the Ministry he was not much in a position to speak, but he had had the pleasure of meeting two of them, and he hoped their lives would be spared sufficiently long to do the Clarence River some good. (Cheers and laughter.) This might appear somewhat selfish, but he was first a Clarence man and then a New South Welshman, and as a resident he asked for all he could for the district in the hope that they would get it. He gave them "The Ministry."

The toast was enthusiastically honoured.

Mr. DIBBS, who was cordially received, said that a man required to have a cool head and to speak with a bridle in his mouth. They had had so much hospitality and kindness showered upon them since their visit. But there was a peculiarity in the speech of the chairman that he must refer to in passing. He said that he hoped the lives of the Ministry might be spared until the promises given in regard to the Clarence River district were fulfilled; but if the district got what it deserved, the Government, he was sure, would have a very long life. He presumed the chairman meant political life, and he went on to say that he hoped the Government would deserve the support of Parliament and the people generally. He had been charged by Mr. Stuart, both verbally and by telegram received since he had been in Grafton, to thank the people of Grafton for their invitation, and to express his deep regret that he was unable to be present that evening. He need not tell them what they must all by this time be pretty well aware of, that Mr. Stuart was a Scotchman and a hard-hearted one, and being a hard-hearted man, he had determined in his high and responsible position to do justice to the country which he and his colleagues governed. To do that he was compelled to forego the pleasure he (Mr. Dibbs) and Mr. Wright had experienced, and stop in Sydney hard at work in the preparation of those measures necessary for the good government of the country, and which were to be laid before Parliament at no distant date. He was sure there was no man in the community who would have enjoyed the trip more or have had a keener appreciation of the importance of the district than Mr. Stuart. They must, however, accept his apology, and he was sure his heart was with them, although he was too busy to be present, as he was preparing to steer the political lives of himself and colleagues through the coming session of Parliament. They would not expect him to say much about their hospitality, for he found it difficult to give expression to his feeling when he thought of the reception, almost royal in its character, which had been given to them. Mr. Wright was charged with the duty of carrying out the public works of the country. He had a large and impulsive heart, and he had no doubt he felt disposed to say at once, "I will give you all you ask." When, therefore, a young and impulsive colleague travelled about, the rest of the Government sent a man with a bald head and gray beard to look after him, and to put the brake on when it became necessary. He (Mr. Dibbs) had seen the Clarence, and he admitted, as far as he had had an opportunity of judging, the importance of the district; and he could assure them that no one in the country could form a higher appreciation of its importance than he could. It was some four or five years ago since he visited Grafton, and sugar-growing was then budding into existence, while to-day they found that it had developed into a gigantic industry, and one which was capable of still further development, and which would be productive of good, not only to this district, but the whole colony. Irresponsible parties were in the habit of criticising the works of scientific men, and he might plead guilty to the charge of having been in the habit of doing that sort of thing himself. There was an old saying that every man was his own doctor, amateur, engineer, and lawyer. Now, he was compelled to say that irresponsible amateur engineers and others had no hesitation in denouncing the works in progress for making the port of the Clarence a success. For his own part, until he visited the district on this occasion he was not aware that the works had progressed to such an extent, or bore upon their face such an appearance of permanence, and he was quite satisfied, having before him the remembrance of what Newcastle was 30 years ago, and what it was now, that the future of the Clarence River Heads would be as great a success as the port of Newcastle was at the present moment. (Cheers.) He used the word irresponsible just now, and he did so because he saw that certain irresponsible gentlemen were disposed to criticise the works in progress at the Heads just as he undertook to criticise 20 years ago the work of a gentleman present, and who were just as wrong in their conclusions to-day as he was 20 years ago. (Cheers.) Mr. Moriarty was no [illegible] man in his business, and he had a reputation of over 30 years in the public service, and that was as dear to him as the Clarence River was to them. (Hear, hear.) He asked the people of the district to have confidence in the work in progress. He asked them to believe in the works as they were now in progress and in the engineer, and he had no doubt that in a very short time the works would prove of such a character as to make the Clarence River all they desired. (Applause.) He said this on behalf of a public servant who had enjoyed the confidence of every Government. Mr. Moriarty was not permitted, as a public servant, to reply to newspaper articles, and therefore he deemed it right to say what he had done in regard to his capability and the success of his operations. (Cheers.) As the representative of the Government he would now say a few words as to what they had done last session, and what it was intended to do in the future. When they took office on the 5th January of this year they found certain matters pressing hardly upon the country which had to be dealt with with the utmost dispatch and vigour. They met Parliament, he thought, within eight days after taking office, and they were called upon to deal with matters of financial importance to the country, without which the large public works of the country could not have been carried out. They passed the Inscribed Stock Bill, which enabled the present Government to fulfil the obligations of their predecessors, and obtain the means for sustaining the credit of the colony for future loans in the London money market. Although a young and untried Administration, they were enabled to carry other measures of large importance to the welfare of this country, and especially the Criminal Law Consolidation Bill, which had been before Parliament for 10 years. That was now the law of the land, and they were also able to deal with a matter which perhaps the people of the Clarence River district had not suffered from, and that was the rabbit pest. There was one other measure which the Government succeeded in passing, and that was the bill to reform the Licensing Act. These were four measures of considerable importance to the country, and the Government succeeded in carrying several minor measures. However, what the Government had done in the past went for nothing, for what they would do in the future was the question for the electors. They were pledged with their political lives on the one hand, and their honours on the other, the moment Parliament assembled to place on the table of the House a new land bill. (Hear, hear.) That bill was a measure which the country had demanded for years, because the old measure, however good the intention of the framers, had failed to meet the wants of this country. He believed the new measure would contain provisions which would promote the settlement of the soil, benefit the occupants and cultivators of the soil, and give the pastoral tenants a tenure to a certain portion at least of their holdings. This would increase the revenue by a very considerable amount. From what he knew of the bill he thought it would meet with approval as a measure calculated to advance the best interests of the whole colony. With a view of giving tone, character, and self-reliance to the people from one end of the country to the other, they intended to place before Parliament a Local Government Bill, which would enable the people of the country to carry out their own works for local improvement, and select their own men to carry them out. They would receive endowments from the revenue, and if that bill became law, as he had no doubt it would, because of the justice upon which it was framed, members would be spared for future usefulness, and be able to attend to the constitutional business of the country, instead as coming as beggars to the Government for the local wants of their constituents. The people would then be able to rely upon their own efforts, and the money would be spent in the best possible way in the respective districts. Those were two of the measures which were to be submitted, and there were several minor measures to be submitted, one of which was a bill to amend the Distillation Act. He would now like to say a few words about his individual opinion of the character and importance of the district. The Clarence River was the grand outlet for the whole district lying along the north and south side of it—(hear, hear)—and the enormous ground which it covered was capable of bearing large crops. One word before he sat down. They knew how universal was the public interest in in the land question; as wide and as deep an interest had been roused in another question. For 20 years we had not had the public feeling of the country in so inflamed a state as it was at the present moment. Indeed, he had no remembrance of so widespred, so intense an expression of public feeling; and the peculiarity of the position was that it was no artificial excitement got up by some artful and designing demagogue, but it owed its existence to their Honors the Judges of the Supreme Court. He regretted what had taken place, but he regretted it in the best interests of the administration of justice. He regretted that at that time the public mind was in a state of ferment and excitement, and he regretted it for this reason, that there never was a time when it was more essential that it should be calm and almost judicial in its character. But it was not the fault of the Government that this state of things did not exist. They should address themselves to allaying this tempest, to restoring calm to political life, and there was only one way in which this could be done. It was to give to the country the true principles of British freedom in public discussions, and to leave nothing in the way of punishment to arbitrary authority. Both these things the Government shall do, and if they did these well their services in effecting them would be remembered when everything else concerning them would be forgotten. He thanked them again for their hospitality and the cordial manner in which the toast of the Ministry had been responded to, and he might say their trip to the district was one which would be long remembered by them, and he thought the visit would, to a certain extent, conduce to the advancement of the Clarence, and at the same time be for the good of the colony at large. (Cheers.)

Mr. WRIGHT, who was well received, after warmly thanking the residents of the Clarence for their enthusiastic reception of the Ministers, said he thought the cordial nature of that reception showed that the people there had faith in the Government, and he believed the future would justify that faith and the high opinion they entertained of the Government. They were aware that among many other important works with which he was charged was the construction of breakwaters, and as the sum of £105,000 was available for the Clarence River entrance he was anxious to see the work in conjunction with Mr. Moriarty. When he visited Grafton many years ago he formed the same opinion then as he held now, namely, that it was destined to become the great port of Grafton and the great depot not only for the immediate district north and south, but for the products—pastoral, agricultural, and mining—west of the mountains. (Hear, hear.) He was of opinion that Grafton would ultimately become second only to the metropolis in importance. He came to the Clarence in order to see the works at the entrance, and from what he saw yesterday he believed that, for the money now in hand, Mr. Moriarty would produce good results, and, as far as he was capable of judging, he was perfectly satisfied with the work going on, and Mr. Moriarty assured him on his professional reputation that he would make the entrance to the Clarence as good and as safe as it was at Newcastle. (Cheers.) Referring to the measures proposed by the Government, the most important was the Land Bill, which he believed would pass into law. It was a measure which they had endeavoured to make as good as they were capable of producing. At all events, they would do their best to submit a measure which, while it made radical changes, would conserve existing interests. It would change the land policy to a considerable degree, and while doing that they would be careful not to do injustice to any man. (Hear, hear.) As to the construction of railways, he was prepared, when Parliament met, or as soon afterwards as possible, to submit a comprehensive scheme; but he was not prepared to say at present where these railways would be constructed. He had already expressed his opinion that there should be a railway from the Clarence to the tableland of New England (Hear)—but until they had a good entrance to the river, a railway would not be of much use to them, and the river would never occupy its proper position until the entrance was made deep enough for large vessels. They could fancy what the town would be in 20 years' time. Pretty and picturesque as it was already, if they had a good entrance and railway communication, it would then far eclipse any other town they could possibly have in the colony with the exception of the metropolis. (Cheers.) He thanked them on behalf of himself and his colleagues for the cordial reception they had received, and hoped their visit would benefit not only the Clarence district but the colony generally. (Cheers.) He proposed the toast of "Prosperity to the Clarence District."

Mr. BAWDEN and Mr. J. H. MUNRO responded.

Mr. BAWDEN proposed "The Health of the Members for the Town and District." Messrs. See and Purves responded.

Mr. M'DOUGALL proposed "The Visitors," for whom Professor Stephen and Captain Burns returned thanks.

The toasts of "The Ladies," "The Press," and "The Chairman," closed the proceedings, which lasted until nearly midnight.

Mr. T. Quick, the Telegraph stationmaster, kindly placed one of his private rooms at the disposal of the Sydney press, and thus greatly facilitated their work.

The Ministers, the majority of visitors, and the members leave at 5.30 a.m. for Glen Innes, in private vehicles.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

NUNDLE, TUESDAY.

Some rich specimens of gold have been taken from a reef in the immediate neighbourhood of the famous Blackfellow's Nob at Bowling Alley Point. They were got at a depth of about 20 feet, and show gold through the body of the stone. It appears there is a network of leaders converging towards a point, and the fortunate discoverers—Messrs. Do[illegible]ll and party—are confident they are in possession of a valuable property. All old miners in this district will doubtless remember the almost fabulous richness, in times past, of the Blackfellow's reef. They have christened the claim the "Last Rose of Summer."

CARCOAR, TUESDAY.

During the last few days 87oz. of gold were lodged in the City Bank from various Mount M'Donald crushings. A small parcel of gold from Oats and party's alluvial claim, situated at Jack's Creek, has just been lodged in the Commercial Bank. At Forest Reefs a prospecting party is now working a claim known as the Band of Hope claim. After putting in three main drives they are now sinking the 142-feet shaft with the intention of going down another 30 feet, with expectations of finding heavy wash. In the Great Extended claim they start sinking another 30 feet in the main shaft. In Newton's freehold paddock they are at present putting down another 100 feet in the main shaft, so as to come upon Williams' main line of reef. They intend taking a tram to this shaft and battery, to save extra labour. At Thompson's Creek, at the Burraga Copper-mine, much work is going on. They have now five smelting furnaces erected. The main lode is improving, and the prospects of the mine continue very favourable.

The mining manager of the Jackson's Reef Gold-mining Company, No Liability, reports, under date Barmedman, 17th instant:—"I grassed 8 tons of quartz, making 119 tons in paddock. All the contracts are in progress, but the weather has been showery, and retarded outdoor work."

The mining manager of the Wesley Tin-mining Company, Limited, writes:—"O'Rorke and party have now 6 feet of wash, worth fully 1cwt. to the load."

The manager of the Parkes Quartz-crushing Company writes:—"We have much pleasure in reporting that we have used the patent combination electro-plates for gold-saving purposes, and we save 50 per cent. more amalgam from the same stone than can be saved on the ordinary copper plates. These plates are the best and most successful invention ever introduced in the colonies, and no battery is complete without them. Since their introduction to this district poor and abandoned reefs have been made to pay well."

The manager of Watson's Reef Gold-mining Company, No Liability, reports:—The Melbourne Company have now completed their new winding gear and chemical works for treating the pyrites by chlorination. The new gear is set in motion and the mine pumped out, the drives cleared, and the old workings explored. A new make of stone has been discovered immediately under what was known as No. 6 shaft. The reef is four feet thick, and I estimate it will yield three ounces of free gold per ton exclusive of pyrites. The pumping engine for supplying fresh water to the battery from Cunningham Creek is now on the way from Melbourne; when this is erected our 15-head battery will be kept constantly going, and our gold-saving arrangements, consisting of electro-plate tables, Halley's percussion tables, Wheeler's pans, Denny's pans, roasting furnace, and Brown's chlorine chemical works, will prove my estimate of this property—the most valuable in New South Wales."

The mining captain of the Great Cobar Copper-mining Company, Limited, reports, for the four weeks ending 8th instant:—"Underground: Barton's shaft has been sunk 9 feet and is now down 109 feet below the 54-fathom level. This shaft is still going down in the lode and no sign of either wall. The lode sunk through during the month is composed of high per cent. yellow ore mixed with iron pyrites, mundic, and spar, and shows favourably for a strong lode downwards. At the 51-fathom level, the south end has been extended 30 feet 10 inches; the lode driven through, and in the face of the end is composed of mundic, iron pyrites, and yellow ore, and is of fair percentage of copper. This end is being driven 7 feet wide, and we have only the east side of the lode. The north end has been extended 13 feet 6 inches; the lode has been extended 13 feet 6 inches. The lode here is 5 feet wide, and is composed of bright yellow ore mixed with mundic and spar. About 1500 tons of good average per cent. ore have been raised from different stopes, at the 39, 26, and 15 fathom levels. The prospecting shaft on the middle lode has been sunk 14 feet 2 inches, and is down 109 feet 7 inches; the lode sunk through is about 4 feet wide, composed of ironstone mixed with spar; no copper of any consequence has been met with down to this depth. At the smelting works 1890 tons ore have been smelted, producing 245 tons fine copper made, and 257 tons fine copper made, and 227½ tons have been despatched. Twelve furnaces have been kept steadily at work during the month. I expect to be able to start another furnace in a few days. No. 2 furnace has been completely taken down and rebuilt. Firewood tramway: 4000 tons of wood have been brought in over the tramway by the engines during the month. The third locomotive was received on the mine last week, and I do not anticipate any difficulty in getting in sufficient firewood to keep going the furnaces. Men are now employed laying down rails on the branch line to the south. Fair progress has been made in building new stack. For the week ended 15th instant the mine captain telegraphs: 'Copper despatched 31 tons; ore smelted, 536 tons, producing in fine copper equal to 65 tons. Thirteen furnaces at work.'"

The mining manager of the Charters Towers Consols Gold-mining Company reports through the North Queensland Mining Investment Company, as follows, viz:—"North Australian Lease: Mosman's Lease, adjoining the property of company, is now crushing. Some splendid specimens were picked out of the stone; I never saw better, and I am very hopeful of getting the same sort of stone in our No. 7 very soon. This would make the lease extremely valuable, as none of it is worked out except a very small portion close to the shaft on the north end. In a plan of the Mosman lease, showing underground workings, I noticed very nearly all the best stone taken out of the mine was obtained from our side of their shaft. The ground of the company No. 7 has been blocked off by a large lease applied for by some wealthy local men. They expect to cut the reef at 800 feet perpendicular. Much must be thought of this reef for such an expensive work to be undertaken. Telegram recently received indicates a yield of 570 ounces smelted gold from 194 tons stone from Mosman's North Australian Reef."

AMUSEMENTS.

A vocal, instrumental, and literary entertainment, in aid of the funds of the fife and drum band in connection with St. Stephen's Temperance Association, was given in the Temperance Hall last night. There was a large attendance, and the chair was occupied by the Hon. John Macintosh, M.L.C. The programme, which was very attractive, was somewhat lengthy, and in consequence encores were not permitted. The items comprised a judicious selection of solos, recitations, and duets, which were rendered in a most pleasing and successful manner. Those who took part in the entertainment were:—Mrs. Innes, Misses Gribben and Brodie, Miss Fischer, Miss Henderson and the Misses Brodie, Messrs. M'Lardy, A. S. Murray, R. Anderson, J. Dixon, Quail, Vincent, G. King, and Elliott. The members of the Marrickville fife and drum band also assisted with a number of selections. Recitations such as "Over the hills to the poorhouse," "A man's a man for a' that," "[illegible]," and "Somebody's Darling" were given in very good style. "The Battle of Stirling," "Won by a Rose," "Within a mile of Edinboro' Town," the "Land o' the Leal," "Home they brought her warrior dead," and "Firm as oak," comprised some of the solos rendered. The programme was executed in a most creditable manner, and the audience frequently applauded throughout.

On Monday last a "social evening" was held in St. Matthias' Schoolroom, Paddington, by the choir of the church, kindly assisted by the Rev. Dr. Ellis and friends. The programme consisted of piano solos, duets, songs, glees, quartette, and trio, which were all well rendered, particularly those by the lady members of the choir; and Dr. Ellis, who expressed himself gratified by the exceptionally good singing of some members. The remarks of Dr. Ellis (who acted as chairman) between the pieces were both encouraging and amusing. Mr. Arthur Massey ably acted as accompanist, the Rev. Dr. Ellis and Mr. Whitwam conducting. Previous to singing the National Anthem, Mr. Tillidge, in a few well-chosen words, proposed a vote of thanks to Dr. Ellis for his valuable assistance, which was carried by acclamation.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

VICTORIAN AMATEUR TURF CLUB.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

The following are the entries for the Caulfield Guineas:—

Invictus
Jeremy Diddler
Moscow
Rebus
Merriman
Timboon
Merrowie
B f by Napoleon
Talkative
Kingship
Jackdaw
Lady Rowena
Chandosine
Marquee
B c by King of the Ring — Princess Alice
C h c by King of the Ring—Actress
Blucher
Percival
Harbinger
Combadello
Burrandeer
Br c by Tim Whiffler—Pate
[illegible]
War Cry
Sheela
Palinurus
Williana
Pan Hatason
Notreart
Second King
The Maid
Silver King
Bonne Fortune
Antoinette
Goodwood
Prime Minister
Ex-Minister
Illusion
David
Chloe
Silver Bell
Zenith
Leporello
Sandal
Hel[illegible]
Gra[illegible]
Assur[illegible]
Tremand[illegible]
Br c by [illegible]iscator—Cocoa[illegible]
B c or br c by Piscator—Zephyr
B c or br c by Robinson Crusoe—Lur[illegible]
Br c by Robinson Crusoe—Cracker
Bohemian
Ne[illegible]eallina
Ca[illegible]
Little Jimmy
Gipsy Warning
[illegible]
Lord Exeter
Garfield
Parapluie

THE TURF.

The Northern Jockey Club Spring Meeting will commence at West Maitland to-day, when some very good racing is likely to be witnessed. A pigeon handicap is to be shot for on Thursday, and on the following day the races will be continued, so that our West Maitland friends will have a busy time of it.

It has been rumoured that Le Grand, the winner of the A. J. C. Derby, has been purchased by Mr. D. S. Wallace, of Victoria, for 2000 guineas; but we have it upon the authority of Mr. J. P. Jost that the colt has not yet been sold, and that even should a part interest in him be disposed of he will remain in Monaghan's hands until the V. R. C. Spring Meeting terminates, and will run in Mr. Jost's colours for the Melbourne Cup.

Archie still rules as first favourite for the Victoria Derby at 2 to 1 (offered), and Off Colour is in such favour that 3 to 1 is the best price obtainable to money. Martini-Henry has quite recovered from the cold from which he suffered, and 6 to 1 is readily snapped up about him. Nepean and Taurus are the only outsiders that have been mentioned up to date, but it is rumoured that a dark horse is likely to come into the market with force before the day. The prices on the Melbourne Cup remain as previously quoted, and nothing has yet been done on the Caulfield Cup, for which Merman, Yately, Recovery, and Malua appear to be particularly well in.

Our correspondent at Candelo telegraphs that Tattersall's and No. 1 booth, at the next Candelo Races, were sold at auction yesterday and realised £61, being much in excess of the prices obtained for similar privileges at Bega.

CRICKET.

The Pyrmont Ivanhoe C. C. met the Sirocco C. C. at Moore Park on Saturday, and scored an easy victory by 23 runs. Scores: 3[illegible] and 16. The bowling of A. Buckle (four wickets for 6 runs) and A. Hamilton (four wickets for 8 runs) was quite up to the mark. The batting of Pick (10), Gilchrist (7), Anderson (7), Thompson (5), Campbell (5, not out), for the winners was good. The bowling of G. Jeffreys and A. Healey for the losers was good; but the only ones who made any stand with the bat were W. Lowe (3 and not out) and A. Healey (4).

The Croydon Cricket Club opened the season on Saturday last with a good beginning, meeting the Waverley Cricket Club on their own ground, and scoring, after several changes in the bowling, the handsome total of 108 runs, the principal scorers being: Felton, 24; Pightling, 20; and Foran, 13. The Waverley's had three wickets down for 31, Fairfax being 21 and not out. The game resulted—through want of time—in a draw.

The Ferndale and Redfern Cambridge Cricket Clubs met last Saturday, on the ground of the former, who won by 17 runs. The principal scorers were: Sawyer, 10; Baigent, 9; Watsford, 8, for the winners, and Richardson 7, and Bowen 7 for the losers. Watson and Turner bowled well for the Ferndale, as also did Richardson and Bowen for the Redfern Cambridge.

The annual general meeting of the Cootamundra Cricket Club was held on 14th instant. The following office-bearers were elected for the coming season, viz.:—President, E. P. Barnes, J.P.; vice-president, H. Healy; secretary, F. M. Baker; treasurer, E. Finch; management committee, R. A. King, J. Meyrick, W. L. Murdoch, H. A. O'Donnell, and T. Quilty; selection committee, H. Healy, J. Meyrick, and W. L. Murdoch; ground committee, E. P. Barnes, J.P., W. Grovenor, and W. L. Murdoch. The report for the past season was satisfactory. The treasurer's statement shows a small debit balance. It is expected that the ensuing season will be a successful one. Practice has been commenced, and the members mean to work hard. Trophies have been promised for the person attending most practices, for the best average bowler, and for the best fielder. Other trophies are likely to be promised.

The Clifton C. C. met the Independent C. C. on the former's ground, Norwood Park, last Saturday, and secured an easy victory by three wickets and 51 runs. Scores: Independent, 39, Gostello being top scorer with 13 (not out); Clifton, 7 wickets for 90, the principal scorers for the Clifton being Bray 19, W. Turner 15, Newmarch 14, A. Turner 13 (not out), Hincks 11, and Robinson 10. J. Bray secured the best bowling average for the winners, taking five wickets for 12 runs.

A match was played last Saturday between the Glebe Dauntless and Derwent clubs, on the Derwent ground, and resulted in a win for the Dauntless by 44 runs. For the former, Archer, D. Brown, Eves, and Westman batted well, and Cowper's bowling was very effective. Ray and Field batted in good style for the Derwents, the bowling honours being about equally divided.

The Parramatta Alfred Cricket Club opened the season's play, on their own ground, on Saturday afternoon last, by the first eleven meeting the representatives of the Arundel Cricket Club. The former team took the wickets first, and when the last wicket had fallen the score had reached 98; 45 of these were made by Maybury, who played a very fine innings. Schwartzkoff took second place with 12 to his credit. The visitors then took the crease; but, owing to the splendid bowling of Maybury, who clean bowled 10 wickets for the small number of 21 runs, the total only reached 43, F. Barnett and Brown being highest scorers, with 14 and 13 to their credit respectively.

A cricket match was played last Saturday between the Leura C. C. and an eleven of the Burwood Public School, on the former's ground, Burwood. The game resulted in a very close and exciting contest, the Leura C. C. proving the winners by five runs. For the winners, G. Swain and A. Thew batted well, while H. Nowland and F. Kirkwood did good service with the ball. For the losers, A. Woodhill and James showed a little brilliancy in their batting, James also bowling well. Scores—Leura C. C., 32; B. S. C. C., 27.

A match was played at Camperdown last Saturday afternoon between elevens from the offices of Mr. John Sands and Messrs. John Woods and Co., resulting in victory for the latter by 21 runs, the scores being—Sands, 60; Woods and Co., 81.

A match took place last Saturday between the St. Peters Surry C. C. and the Redfern C. C., resulting in a victory for the latter by one wicket and 15 runs, the scores being—St. Peters Surry C. C., 65; Redfern C. C., nine wickets for 80. For the former J. Lowden (33), and for the latter A. Baker (24), J. Douglas (19), W. Pert (12), and J. Saunders (12), were the principal scorers.

The Alliance and Our Boys second elevens played last Saturday afternoon on the latter's ground, when Our Boys won by 36 runs. The Alliance were quickly disposed of for 34 runs, Mulholland taking five wickets for 13 runs, and Gould three wickets for 10 runs. Our Boys put 70 runs together, Vicars (16) and Collins (14) showing excellent form with the bat. The bowling of the Alliance was very good.

COURSING.

A meeting of the committee of the New South Wales Coursing Club was held yesterday, Mr. R. L. Tooth in the chair. The principal business brought before the meeting was a proposition by Mr. Walter Lamb to hold a Waterloo Cup Meeting in the colony next year. After some discussion it was unanimously carried that the programme for next season include a Waterloo Cup and Purse, and that the details of the matter be considered at the next meeting of the committee after the general meeting. On the motion of Mr. Langley it was decided that the annual meeting of the club take place on the 2nd of October. After the passing of the accounts, Mr. C. S. Gregory notified that owing to his business engagements he was compelled to relinquish the duties of secretary. The appointment of his successor has been deferred until after the annual meeting.

Our Moss Vale correspondent telegraphs that the entries for the three stakes to be run for on the 25th instant at Eridge Park, the grounds of Mr. R. L. Tooth, M.L.A.—in connection with the Berrima District Coursing Club—have already been filled. A splendid day's coursing is expected to take place.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

A match took place on the 8th September last at Windsor, between the Windsor Corps and No. 1 Company 2nd Regiment of Volunteer Rifles, usual conditions. The latter won by 38 points. The score is as follows:—

NO. 1 COMPANY 2ND REGIMENT V.I.

	500 Yds.	600 Yds.	Total.
Lieutenant Donald Fraser	29	19	48
Corporal Shaw	29	26	55
Corporal Todd	28	26	54
Private Mulvey	28	21	49
Private Fraser	29	21	50
Private Shaw	27	24	51
Private Brooks	28	20	48
Private Todd	29	19	48
Private Breen	23	25	48
Private Harrison	24	19	43
Total			494

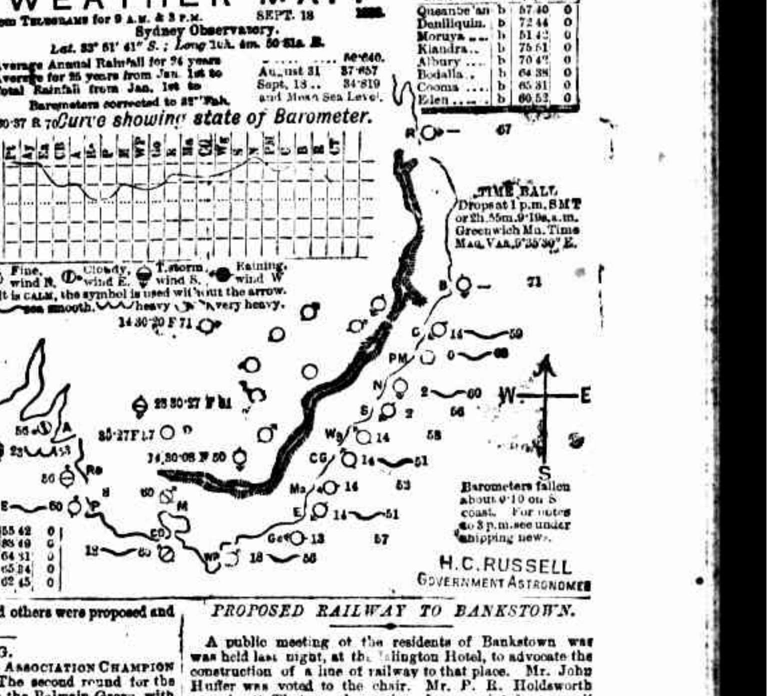
WINDSOR CORPS V.I.

	500 Yds.	600 Yds.	Total.
Captain Linsley	25	19	44
Lieutenant Guest	23	24	47
Lieutenant Anderson	24	27	51
Colour-sergeant Mortley	16	18	34
Sergeant Gosper	27	17	44
Sergeant Ward	20	21	41
Corporal Broughton	29	21	50
Corporal Mellish	30	24	54
Private A. Pye	26	20	46
Private J. B. Wall	23	22	45
Total			456

No. 1 Company 2nd Regiment V.I. winners by ... 38

After the match both teams partook of an excellent repast, provided by the home corps at Mrs. Mead's hotel, at which the usual loyal toasts and others were proposed and responded to.

STATIONS.	wr	m'x	m'n	ra'in
Casino	b	79	44	0
Tent'rfield	b	74	45	0
Clarence	b	65	54	0
Moree	.	—	—	—
Grafton	b	85	40	0
Gl'n Inn's	b	67	45	0
Inverell	b	70	38	0
Bourke	b	80	52	0
Narrabri	b	70	41	0
Armidale	b	61	—	0
Bendem'r	b	57	35	0
Gunned'h	b	76	35	0
C'n'mble	b	73	35	0
Kempsey	.	—	—	—
Walcha	c	65	40	0
Tamw'rth	.	—	—	—
Coonab'n	b	74	32	0
P. M'qrie	b	65	51	0
W'lcannia		—	—	—
Murr'rdi	c	67	44	0
Taree	b	65	40	0
Cassilis	c	63	35	0
Mus'br'k	c	70	42	0
Dubbo	b	68	40	0
Menindie	b	78	58	0
Singleton	b	66	35	0
Nels'n's B'	b	79	49	0·05
Mudg	b	70	30	0
Maitland	b	61	45	0
Hill End	.	—	—	—
N'wcastle	b	64	48	0
Orange	.	—	—	—
Bathurst	b	63	33	0
Forbes	b	60	56	0
M. Vict'ria	b	54	35	0
Carcoar	b	71	42	0
Cond'b'lin	.	—	—	—
Marsdens	b	71	48	0
Picton	l	63	39	0
Sydney	c	62	50	0·01
Wentw'th	c	80	48	0
Young	b	80	37	0
Woll'g'ng	b	66	42	0
Taralga	b	74	—	0
Hay	b	75	46	0



M'ss V'l	b	55	42	0
Euston	b	88	49	0
G'lburn	c	64	31	0
Wagga	b	65	34	0
C Geo'	b	62	45	0

Stations.	wr	m'x	m'n	ra'in
Queanbe'an	b	57	40	0
Deniliquin	b	72	44	0
Moruya	b	51	42	0
Kiandra	b	75	51	0
Albury	b	70	47	0
Bodalla	b	64	38	0
Cooma	b	65	31	0
Eden	b	60	52	0

BOWLING.

NEW SOUTH WALES BOWLING ASSOCIATION CHAMPION GOLD MEDAL AND TROPHY.—The second round for the above was played on Saturday, on the Balmain Green, with the following results:—

T. C. Hinchcliffe	31	v.	L. Dunshea	27
H. B. Cohen	[illegible]	v.	John Young	26
H. S. Bird	31	v.	H. Hughes	19
W. P. Edmunds	31	v.	J. Graham	17
D. Andrews	31	v.	A. Bofe	21
J. Kingston	31	v.	W. Smith	15
D. H. Chisholm	31	v.	C. W. Knight	15
J. Forsyth	31	v.	H. Sippel	19

The play all round was very fair, that between Hinchcliffe and Dunshea being exceptionally good. The following have been drawn to play the third round on Saturday next, at the City Green, Cook Park, commencing at 2 o'clock:—T. C. Hinchcliffe v. D. H. Chisholm, W. F. Edmunds v. J. Forsyth, J. Kingston v. H. B. Cohen, D. Andrews v. H. S. Bird.

FISHING.

The Nimrod Fishing Club will close their season to-day with a picnic at Clontarf, which has been much improved of late with the erection of a fine pavilion and other means of comfort for excursionists. The prizes won during the season will be presented by the Mayor. In order to make the day pass pleasantly, there will be sports of every description. The steamer Port Jackson will leave Circular Quay at 10 a.m. and at 12 noon.

SUN SPOTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It may interest some of your readers to know that at the present time there are spots on the sun of such vast proportions that they can be distinguished without the aid of a telescope, merely by looking through a smoked or coloured glass, but by using a telescope of moderate magnifying power the intense blackness is most intense as contrasted with the bright portion of the sun's disc, and as it is known that any great or extraordinary occurrences on the sun generally cause atmospheric or magnetic disturbances here, we are to some extent interested therein.

As viewed through an inverting telescope, there appears on the left side above the equator two spots of very great size, of irregular shape, slightly elongated and rounded at the extremities, and separated by a luminous bridge, the whole surrounded by an envelope of a general greyish tint, which, when closely observed, assumes a beautiful lacework appearance extending on every side for a distance quite equal to the width of the black parts. A little to the right of these is a group of spots of considerable extent, one of which is of a spherical form, and is a splendid specimen of a sun-spot. On the opposite side of the equator are three very large spots, but not of such proportions as those previously noticed; and above these is another group of six rather smaller but still very beautiful spots.

I am, &c.,
OBSERVER.

COMMERCIAL.

LONDON WOOL AND PRODUCE SALES.

WOOL.—Messrs. Willans, Overbury, and Co. report, under date August 8:—During the past month there has been some inquiry in this market, which has resulted in the sale of about 2000 bales, entirely merino wools, at prices fully equal to the final rates of the May-June series, and in some instances, even above that level. The demand has proceeded principally from the home trade, although some purchases, chiefly of Capes, have been made for Germany. There has been little or no demand from France. In view of these transactions it is noticeable that at the recent Antwerp sales of colonial wool, prices declined from ½d to 1d per lb. as compared with the closing rates of the last London auctions. Advices from almost all industrial centres, at home and abroad, concur in representing present consumption of the raw material to be on a very large scale, but in the result without proportionate profit to the manufacturer. As regards this country, reports are still comparatively favourable, although the decline in English wool has made further progress during the past few weeks, and many complaints are heard at Bradford and the surrounding districts, on the part of the consumers of these and the corresponding classes of colonial wool. The quantity for the third series of auctions, to begin on the 21st instant, is estimated at about 410,000 bales, as follows, viz.: Arrivals to date, 410,000 bales; held over from last series, about 20,000; further estimated arrivals, about 30,000: 460,000 bales. Forwarded direct from ship, or otherwise disposed of 50,000: 410,000 bales.

TALLOW, &c.—Under date 9th August the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company report:—Tallow: During the past fortnight a total of 2371 casks of Australian and New Zealand has been offered at the usual public sales, and of this quantity 1562 passed the hammer. At the first of these auctions, held on 27th ultimo, the market was flat, and only a very small portion of the catalogued quantity was sold, and this at a reduced price. At the later sales, however, on the 3rd instant, a steadier tone prevailed, and competition was more marked; this being more noticeable in the commoner qualities, which were taken freely for export. Values for these descriptions were firmer, and prices were realised which were not obtainable at the previous sales. The best qualities of both beef and mutton, however, had a downward tendency, but there was no quotable change. We quote:—P.Y.C., new, 51s to 51s 6d per cwt.; Australian mutton, fine, 41s 6d to 42s; ditto ditto, medium, 40s to 41s; ditto beef, fine, 40s 6d to 41s; ditto ditto, medium, 39s 6d to 40s. The shipments from Australia in July amounted to 3300 casks as against 1860 casks in the same month last year. Importations for the fortnight ended 4th inst. amounted to 3384 packages. The estimated stock in warehouse is 10,800 casks, of which 731 casks are Russian. Leather, Hides, &c.—Leather: At the last public auctions, held on the 3rd instant, 8207 sides were offered and 7319 sold; the bought-in lots, however, being disposed of immediately after the sales. There was a strong and improved demand at prices which show an advance on recent rates of ½d to 1d per lb., the finer qualities securing the higher advance. We quote—Fair to good sides, heavy, 14 to 17½ lbs., average 10d to 11½d per lb.; fair to good sides, light, 9 to 11, average 10d to 11½d; fair to good sides, extra heavy, 17½ to 22, average 9½d to 11d; fair to good sides, seconds, 10½ to 16½, average 9d to 9½d. Importations for the fortnight ended 4th instant amounted to 867 bales. Basils: At public auctions held on 3rd instant a large total was catalogued, viz., 146,721 skins, of which 112,484 were sold. There was a fair demand for most descriptions; but competition was not quite so keen as of late, and the biddings were rather slow. Values on the whole remain on a par with our last quotations, with, if anything, a slightly downward tendency. We quote best strained skins, averaging 6 to 21½ lbs. per dozen, 15½d to 17¼d per lb.; seconds, averaging 6½ to 22½ lbs. per dozen, 11d to 14½d per lb.; unstrained, averaging 7 to 26 lbs. per dozen, 8d to 13½d per lb. Salted Hides: For the last public sales, held on 2nd instant, 6785 hides were offered and 5663 sold under the hammer. There was a very fair demand, without change in the value of the heavier weights; but light ox and cow were quite ½d. per lb. dearer, and in many instances the seconds were slightly better. We quote—Sydney heavy ox, 5½d to 5¾d per lb.; ditto light ox, 4¾ to 5½d; ditto seconds, 4¾d to 4½d; ditto cow, 4¾d to 5½d. The present stock is 3940 hides, against 7498 hides on 27th ultimo. Preserved Meats: The position of the market has not altered since the date of our last report, some small sales having taken place, but of quite a retail character. A few consignments, recently arrived, of 2lb. tins boiled mutton changed hands at our quotations, but in other sizes there has been nothing doing. We quote—Boiled mutton, 2-lb. tins 5¼d to 5¾d per lb.; 4-lb. tins, 5d to 5½d; 6-lb. tins, 4¾d to 4¾d; boiled beef, 2-lb. tins, 5¼d to 5½d; 4-lb. tins, 4¾d to 4½d; 6-lb. tins, 4½d to 4½d. Importations during the fortnight ended 4th instant amounted to 30,528 cases from Australia, and 4448 cases from New York. Frozen Meats.—During the past fortnight the market has continued firm, and supplies have only been moderate. The balance of the shipment of mutton per British Queen has been disposed of at from 6½d to 7½d per lb. Considerable progress has been made with the consignment per Lusitania, some 2500 carcases having been sold at from 6d to 6½d per lb. The John Elder, bringing 1561 carcases of mutton from Sydney, arrived in dock on 30th ultimo, and the whole shipment has been cleared at prices ranging from about 5d to 6d per lb. The sheep, though in good condition, were much too small, weighing on average but little over 40lb. each. Three shipments are afloat from New Zealand. The Ionic, with about 10,000 carcases of mutton from Port Chalmers, is expected in about a fortnight; whilst the Mataura, from Auckland, and the Opawa, from the Bluff, bringing about 7500 and 6500 carcases respectively, will probably arrive early next month. From Sydney two consignments of about 5000 carcases each, per Chimborazo and Cuzco, are advised as on their way. There is a steady demand to-day for home-fed beef and mutton. We quote:—Prime English mutton, 5s 8d to 6s 4d per stone of 8lb.; prime Scotch mutton, 6s 4d to 6s 8d; prime English beef, 5s 8d to 5s 6d; prime Scotch beef, 5s 6d to 5s 10d.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Sale of 468 bales, from Sydney and Queensland, by Charles Balme and Co.:—

Ex Grasmere, from Sydney: Calga, 10 scoured pieces at 15d, 3 at 15d, 2 at 14d, 1 damaged at 14½d, 4 bellies at 15½d, 25 combing crossbred at 13d, 7 at 10½d, 6 grease combing at 11d, 51 at 10½d, 9 grease at 10d, 115 at 9½d, 1 mixed at 8½d; DR over T in diamond, 5 grease combing at 8½d.

Ex Duchess of Edinburgh, from Sydney: Gibb & Son, 9 lambs at 12½d.

Ex John Duthie, from Sydney: C Z, Gregadoo, 13 greasy broken at 10½d.

The death is announced in his 68th year of Mr. T. B. Smithies, editor of the *British Workman*, and well known by his connection with various philanthropic and religious movements.

PROPOSED RAILWAY TO BANKSTOWN.

A public meeting of the residents of Bankstown was held last night, at the Islington Hotel, to advocate the construction of a line of railway to that place. Mr. John Huffer was voted to the chair. Mr. P. R. Holdsworth moved,—"That a deputation be appointed to wait upon the hon. Minister for Works, with the object of calling his attention to the fact that, in the event of a second line of railway being constructed from Sydney to Liverpool, as a means of relieving the main trunk line, it is desirable that it should pass on the northern side of Canterbury, and then run straight on to Bankstown." He said that he submitted the motion as a disinterested party in the locality, but as one who was desirous of seeing the country fully opened up by means of railways. He was well acquainted with the two routes proposed for the railway to Bankstown, and he had no hesitation in stating that the route proposed by him was by far the better of the two. This one was to take its starting point on the new Illawarra line, about three-quarters of a mile from Sydney, whilst the other route proposed was to commence at St. Peter's. It was altogether easier of construction than the latter, and besides involving less engineering difficulties, its construction would prove far less expensive. The Government might be invited to have both routes surveyed before arriving at a decision in the matter, and he had little doubt but the result would be that the one he proposed would be found most suitable. Mr. E. T. Rossetter seconded the motion. Mr. M'Culloch, M.P. for the district, supported it. In doing so he stated that he was largely interested in the land through which a line from St. Peters to Bankstown would cross; nevertheless, he was bound to say that the other route was far preferable, and he strongly advocated its adoption. He felt that the line would then not only benefit Bankstown, but other places as well; and it would prove far cheaper in construction than the other, in addition to being a more direct one. He considered that the line was absolutely necessary, and he hoped to see it speedily laid down. Mr. J. J. Cooper also supported the motion, and, during the course of his remarks, he said that Burwood, Bankstown, and Ashfield would participate in the benefits derivable from the line being laid down as proposed by Mr. Holdsworth. The motion was carried unanimously. A committee was then formed, on the motion of Mr. Henry Palmer, to arrange for the deputation as decided upon.

THE FUTURE OF THE MONEY MARKET.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—This subject at present is of great importance, as high rates of money seriously impede most colonial enterprises; but if you will kindly permit me, I think I can proceed to show that it will be only of very short duration.

As the song says, "It's always the darkest the hour before day." We shall soon see such an increase of capital as will dispel all the present tightness of the money market.

The harvest at home may now be almost considered as secure, and the wheat crop there be valued at 18 millions. The hop crop of 650,000cwt., at the present value of £9 per cwt., is 5¾ millions; the hay crop may be computed at 18 millions; and roots, grain, and fat stock may fairly foot up the total to 100 millions sterling. This valuable increase of wealth had no existence before the present bright weather matured the best crop our dear old mother land has secured for many years; and the gradual decline of the bank rate clearly indicates, easier times are coming.

America has rather less this year for sale than last by about 12 per cent., and will reduce their power of drawing on London to that extent, if not more; but the great abundance of capital in the State treasury must help to give us a low rate for capital for some time to come.

Many may argue so much is locked up, but as they continually reduce their debt, it must leave more in the open market. Now, if we permit ourselves to look nearer home we may see one of the largest crops of cereals now growing that has ever been produced in the southern colonies, and it may be fairly estimated at one million tons, and this at 4s. per bushel will give us from six to seven millions of money that had no existence; and this is much better than if taken out of the ground, for we have the same fields and land to produce for us for all time in the future.

At present New South Wales has no exportable surplus; but it only a question of time for that most desirable abundance to come, and that before long. Hence it may be fairly presumed that all our present difficulties as to tightness will disappear in a few months, and brought about by the crop, which has not looked better for ten years than it does at the present time; and may we be blessed with a good harvest time for the ingathering of such bounties as the great Giver of all good things has now blessed us with.

I am, &c.,
THOS. J. LABY.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

FIVE DOCK.—Meeting held September 11. Present—The Mayor (Alderman Budd), Aldermen Poolman, West, Croker, and Aitkenhead. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. Correspondence—From B. C. Rodd, denying that he had filled in the water table on the Iron Cove-road, so as to cause the water to flow over the road. Received, and moved by Alderman Croker, seconded by Alderman Aitkenhead,—"That Mr. Rodd be informed the council had no control at present over the Park-road, but they would prevent any person from interfering with any of the water tables. From secretary to the committee for amendment of the law of libel. Received. From secretary Sydney Permanent Freehold, Land, and Building Society as to repairing Blackwall Point-road. Received, and moved by Alderman Poolman, seconded by Alderman West,—"That the society be written to and asked not to withdraw their promise of support towards repairs, and the work would be carried out at once." From Mr. Lysaught, proprietor of the galvanised iron works, offering to give £50 towards repairing Blackwall Point-road. From G. R. Whiting, asking to have some slight repairs done to road in front of his property at South Hythe. Granted. To Mr. Ramsay, asking him to give 16½ feet depth of land along his land on Lyons-road for purpose of widening the road. To Mr. Balfin, that repairs to road in front of his property would be carried out, that he could erect a trough and two alignment posts upon certain conditions. To secretary Sydney Permanent Freehold, Land, and Building Society as to repairs to Blackwall Point-road. Questions: In reply to Alderman Aitkenhead, the Mayor said he would see and have balance of white metal ordered for Lyons-road delivered at once. The chairman of the finance committee brought up a report, recommending that sundry accounts amounting to £37 7s. be paid, which was adopted. Moved by Alderman Poolman,—"That the waiting-room and handrails at the Five Dock Jetty be painted at a cost not exceeding £3 10s." Carried. By Alderman Croker,—"That fresh tenders be invited for loan of £1500, in debentures of £100 each, interest not to exceed 6½ per cent. per annum." Carried. Council then went into committee for purpose of considering tenders for supply of 200 tons of white metal ballast, broken to a 2-inch gauge, and upon resuming the Mayor reported that the tender of William Phelps had been accepted at 7s. per ton.—GEO. GRANVILLE, Council Clerk.

ST. PETERS.—Meeting held on 10th September. Present—The Mayor (Mr. W. G. Judd), with Aldermen Baker, Goering, Moore, Lambeth, and Edwards. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. The Mayor submitted the following reports:—From finance committee, recommending payment of accounts amounting to £115 5s., which was adopted. From works committee, recommending as follows:—That the portion of Mary-street from the corner of Ida-place to Unwin's Bridge-road be formed at an estimated cost of £35; that Terry-street be formed and tenders invited for the work; that Messrs. Spear and Flynn's contract in Union-street is completed in a satisfactory manner. On the motion of the Mayor, seconded by Alderman Edwards, the report was received and adopted. The usual monthly report from the works overseer and inspector of nuisances was received. Correspondence: The following letters were read:—To Colonial Secretary, requesting that the footpath fronting watchhouse, Cook's River-road, be asphalted. Reply, stating the matter had been referred to the Minister for Works. From Mr. S. A. Stephen, M.P., enclosing copy letter received from Minister for Works on the subject of proposed repairs to Unwin's Bridge-road, stating that the Minister declined to comply with the wishes of the deputation. From hon. secretary to committee appointed re amendment of law of libel, &c. Resolved that a letter be written in reply stating that this council cordially concur in the movement, but do not deem it desirable to call a public meeting on the subject. From Gas Company, stating that the price of public gas lights would be reduced from £7 to £6 15s. per annum, to take effect from 1st October next. All received. The Mayor reported that Mr. Slade's tender to construct an open culvert in Waterloo-road at 27s. per perch, as per specification, had been accepted in committee, provided that he signs the necessary contract to complete the same within three weeks from 19th instant. The report was adopted. Moved by Alderman Moore, seconded by Alderman Edwards, and carried,—"That 30 loads of rubble be purchased for repairs to Belmore-street." Moved by the Mayor, seconded by Alderman Baker, and carried unanimously,—"That this council record a vote of thanks to Constable Pritchard for his prompt and energetic action in apprehending two men for depositing nightsoil in Ricketty-street, and in securing convictions in these and in another case recently, and that a letter be written to his superior officer intimating the same."—THOMAS LEEDER, Council Clerk.

The intensity of the struggle for a livelihood in England is illustrated by the statement of a magazine writer, that there are 300,000 families in London who are in the habit of pawning small articles, and that more than 6,000,000 unclaimed pledges are sold every year in that city, while over 270,000,000 articles are taken in pledge in the course of the year throughout the country.

IRRIGATION AND EVAPORATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Though Mr. Russell estimates the yearly average of evaporation at only about as many inches (23) as Mr. Christie asserts it to be feet, they are both equally seeking the truth on the firm basis of experiment. They look at the question under widely different conditions; their apparently large discrepancy may turn out to be none at all.

Heat is only one agent of evaporation; in fact, when uncombined with dry moving air it ranks very low as such. The moisture upon which Mr. Russell experimented was largely protected against moving heat, and the natural result was a slow evaporation. Heat dries energetically in proportion to the quantity of heated air that is dashed upon the wet surface. The muggy trade wind sucks up 16 feet annually; the dry and hot wind of our interior lays up exposed water—as Mr. Christie vouches—to nearly 24 feet.

Mr. Russell is seeking data on which to calculate what surplus, if any, may be annually depended upon for agricultural purposes from our world-long accumulations of subterranean water. There is certainly sufficient of this to assuage the thirst of any likely number of men and beasts; that will ever occupy the Arabs of Australia. But as to thereby converting this desert, all of it, into an Egypt or Lombardy, we may safely assert, from a knowledge of the great quantity of water that each acre of Lombardy requires, in order to maintain its boasted fertility, that any number of steam-pumps that New South Wales could pay for would break down under the service, if water were even procurable to keep them at work; for I believe that the annual surplus of water derivable from subterranean strata would not suffice to irrigate the one-thousandth part of the interior. Mr. Christie is suggesting desirable experiments whereby to test what proportion of the ordinary rainfall we might calculate upon for irrigation by means of dams.

Many years ago I explained that the blocking of the whole Murrumbidgee near Wagga (where it issues from the moister high lands) would provide only sufficient water in good seasons to irrigate 1,000,000 acres after the Italian fashion. My impression was that, according to that method, it was not worth taking into account what water might be collected below Wagga.

In short, I came to the conclusion, and still remain in it, that irrigation (properly so called) will disappoint the enthusiasts who thereby expect to alter the general wealth of our country. As a rule, each large dam, or very deep, well, may suffice for a garden or small paddock. That is the utmost we can anticipate from the Indian, Chinese, or Italian method of irrigation.

Nevertheless, we need not altogether despair: we may still effect something very considerable by a common-sense method—I mean by very deep ploughing, which yet, strange as it may appear to some, is true irrigation. By means of it we shall economise to the utmost that saving against evaporation of which Mr. Russell's experiment affords such a notable instance. Those owning powerful machinery will sooner or later be in a position to break up adequate farms on reasonable terms—say two feet in depth. Every drop that falls thereon will sink into the ground.

Over a great part of the interior we cannot, depend on an average of more than eight inches of rain. Yet this, provided it do not come in absolute driblets, is sufficient to thoroughly soak two feet of loosened earth, and hence will ensue a race or scramble as to what proportion of the collected moisture will be converted into useful plants, or succumb to evaporation, but evaporation of as very protracted kind.

Off the same sized surface of ground eight inches of the rain that had fallen over the same surface will produce exactly the same effect as will the 24 feet of water collected by Mr. Christie from the drainage of probably 200 surrounding acres. In the one case, nature and the steam plough will do all our work, and we shall have, over and above, 199 acres to treat as at present, or with increasing markets, to convert every acre of it into similar trenched (in reality irrigated) land. By the Italian method, coupled with much and careful manual labour, tanks might suffice to irrigate about the two-hundredth part of each property; by deep trenching—in reality, a more advantageous method of irrigation—we might, as advantageously and more cheaply in proportion, cultivate every acre of the property.

This is not by any means the first time that I have called attention to the probability of resident capitalists converting the whole of even central New South Wales into a trenched garden. We may reasonably anticipate so much from our descendants if only a common-sense policy will prevail; but this is the limit—the most sanguine theorist can hope for no more, for by any other method than that here explained.

L. FANE DE SALIS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In his letter on evaporation, in your issue of the 14th instant, Mr. Dixon, in the concluding paragraph, digressed to irrigation. He affirmed that, as a permanent improvement in a dry country, it must be accompanied with drainage, from want of which some places in India had become sterile, owing to the accumulation of salts in solution. During several years service in India, I travelled over the greater portion of both the Bengal and Madras Presidencies, where I had exceptional opportunities of studying the cultivation of the country generally, yet not a single instance of such a source of sterility ever came to my notice. As in India, so in Egypt, where irrigation canals have been abandoned, sterility has been the natural result. In the former country the heavy tropical rains would as effectually dispose of the salts as the floods of the Nile in Egypt, because these floods similarly cover a large area with shallow water which never drains back to the river, but is disposed of by soakage and evaporation, consequently the salts would be absorbed by the soil. Again, a large area of Upper Egypt has from time immemorial been irrigated by spiral pumps owing to its lying some height above flood mark, yet it remains highly prolific, though the salts of the river water must have accumulated over it.

I have seen irrigation carried out by water supplied from different storage reservoirs in Southern California which received the drainage of a highly saliferous sandstone basin, and yet it has converted a wilderness into a garden.

As this is a subject of no little importance to the future welfare of this colony, I think Mr. Dixon would be conferring a benefit on the community if he would give further particulars of the places in India which have become sterile by deposition of salts, also of the character of the salts, from what rivers they were supplied, and in what time their deposition proved fatal to vegetation.

I am, &c.,
FREDK. B. GIPPS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I am glad to see that my letter on this subject has directed a considerable amount of attention to what I feel must be the great turning point of the future development by irrigation of our western plains.

The subject is far too important to the future welfare of fully four-fifths of our colony to allow me for one moment to forget the main issue by attempting to reply to such personalities as those indulged in by Messrs. Gipps and Abbott in the opening sentences of their letters in reply to mine. When I was writing on the land question was the proper time for them to have taken up anything that they considered wrong in my statements. Mr. Gipps, however, did not take exception to them then, and he has no right now, when I am writing on another subject, to make the remarks about the land question which he did. Mr. Abbott did differ from me on some points, and afforded me an opportunity of not only proving that the figures which he challenged were correct, but that he himself was wrong in the only point of land administration to which he referred—viz., the 15th clause of the Occupation Act—and did not understand the nature of its operation.

But all that is over months ago, and I am now writing on the water question—a question on which, at least, Mr. Gipps is supposed to be somewhat familiar, as much on account of the notoriety to which he attained in his advocacy of the Kenny Hill scheme as on account of that masterpiece of hydraulic experiment, his attempt to lead the waters of one of our southern rivers over a spur of the Kiandra Ranges in an open conduit for sluicing purposes.

In addition to the two letters referred to, there were your own leader of 12th instant, and letters from Mr. H. C. Russell and Mr. W. A. Dixon. In the following remarks I purpose taking the arguments seriatim as far as possible, when I think I will succeed in convincing, not only the general public, but Mr. Russell himself, that his estimate of the evaporation on our western country is altogether below the lowest estimate that can by any possibility be put upon it.

First, as to the area of the Narran Lake. Mr. Gipps has made a great point of the fact that what I spoke of as the Narran Lake is in reality two lakes containing the area mentioned by me (30,000 acres). It does not matter one straw whether what is known as the Narran Lake consists of one or one thousand lakes, so long as they are all fed by the Narran River, and present in the aggregate an evaporative surface of the area mentioned. Nor does the current between the two lakes bear upon the argument. The northern lake is the one which receives the water direct from the Narran, and when it is full it overflows into the southern one through a channel about 200 yards wide, and at the rate of about half a mile per hour. The immense body of water in the northern lake passing through so narrow a channel at so slow a rate would keep this current going for a long time even after the Narran had ceased to flow, and an underground drainage theory is therefore not necessary to account for the current between the two lakes. In taking the dimensions and rate of this current, I am indebted to Mr. W. R. Abbott's paper, read before the Royal Society on 1st June, 1881, "Notes on a Journey on the Darling."

Mr. Gipps and Mr. Abbott, as well as your own leading article, say that I have omitted to take into consideration the water that would be consumed by absorption.

The fact is that for about 30 miles surrounding the lake the country falls towards it at the rate of about one foot to the mile, and this would give an actual drainage basin, irrespective of the river itself, of about 30 times the area of the lake; and as I have allowed for only six times the area of the lake rainfall to find its way into it, I have set aside nearly 13 times as much for absorption and evaporation.

But it is claimed that the bed of the lake itself absorbs a great deal of moisture. This is not the case. The lake is in black soil of the tertiary period, and it is well known that this soil is extremely impervious. Water will not soak into it more than a few inches, when the whole surface forms a mass of stiff clay, through which the heaviest rains will not permeate. Dr. Abbott's paper previously referred to numerous instances are cited in illustration of the impervious nature of the soil.

Here we come to a very important point as showing the physical difference between the Narran and the Paroo, which sheds a great deal of light on the question of evaporation. The Paroo flows through cretaceous beds, which are porous, and absorb the water as it flows. This river simply terminates on the plain—it does not form a lake, because the waters are absorbed in the surface of its bed—and go towards feeding the artesian supplies which are being tapped in that direction.

Geological surveyors Messrs. Wilkinson and Brown point out in several reports that the subterranean supplies of water will be found almost exclusively in the creta ceous beds—on account of their porous nature—and the difference in the character of the soil through which the Narran and Paroo flow is a most important consideration in determining the probable absorption in the Narran Lake.

Mr. Abbott bases his belief that the lake is drained by an underground passage on the fact that a stockman who had seen the lake when it was empty described its bed as being "full of large holes." To read Mr. Abbott's description, one would think that this lake had a bottom like a colander; but such a thing—even if it existed—would show itself on the surface of the water when full, by attracting all the light rubbish floating on the top, and imparting a gyratory motion to it immediately over the points of drainage, as we see soapsuds in a bath after pulling the plug out.

But a still more important consideration about these holes is—that if they existed, the water rushing through them would increase their size, and every successive time the lake became filled it would empty itself more rapidly. These holes are merely pot-holes, such as are found at the bottom of all lagoons, and are perfectly impervious.

Mr. Abbott claims that I am very far wrong in estimating the capacity of the Narran at 150 feet wide, 6 feet deep, and one mile per hour. His estimate contained in the paper previously quoted from is that "for some distance before entering the lake the channel is well defined, and capable of carrying a considerable body of water, being about 40 yards wide, with steep banks." He then shows that at the crossing-place horses have to swim in a current at the rate of about five miles per hour. This would give at least four times the volume of water which I have estimated, and consequently, with only three freshes in the year, it would keep up an average inflow equal to that on which I have based my calculations. But, looking at this in another way, Mr. Abbott points out that the river in an ordinary flood extends to a width of five or six miles, with a depth outside the channel of about three feet. The water would, of course, taper off in depth to nothing at the outer edges, and a fresh to rise and fall like this would take at least a week. The volume of water flowing in that way would be about 25 times what could be carried through a channel such as I have described in the same time; so that in one week of such a flood as much water would flow into the lake as would flow through the channel in 25 weeks; and my estimate therefore is, according to Mr. Abbott's own showing, rather very considerably under the mark than over it; and being less than the actual amount, it would make the amount of evaporation which I have arrived at less than the real amount, and so much the more, therefore, in favour of my argument.

The statement made by Mr. Abbott about the water in a well to the west of the Narran Lake rising and falling as the lake rises and falls is neither here nor there. The rise of the lake depends mainly on the rainfall in Queensland; and that rainfall also supplies the Bokhara, the Culgoa, Warrego, and Paroo rivers, all of which flow through cretaceous beds, and their waters go less towards making floods than to supplying the porous strata with a fresh supply of water; and the same cause therefore which fills the lake also fills the underground supply to the west of it, because the cretaceous formations lie to the west. But no such thing occurs on the east, where the formation is tertiary, and Mr. Abbott proves this in his "Notes on the Darling," when he says, page 28:—"There is no soakage of water from the rivers under the adjacent country, nor from the adjacent country into the rivers. At Gingie, near Walgett, I saw a well about 100 yards from the Darling in which the water was 40 feet from the surface, and when the Darling rose over its banks and flooded all the surrounding country the water in the well was not affected at all. . . . I saw a dam by which the water was thrown back for many miles, and so far as I could learn there was no escape of water through the banks in any part, and it is the same in all the other tributaries of the Darling where I have seen or heard of dams being made."

Those places are all in the tertiary formation, and nothing could be stronger in support of what I have said about the difference between the cretaceous and tertiary beds than the evidence which Mr. Abbott has supplied me with.

The foregoing will, I think, be a sufficient reply to all the points raised in the letters of Messrs. Gipps and Abbott. The great importance of the subject to the future welfare of the west is alone my excuse for begging you to allow me to enter so fully upon the arguments in the case as to permit me in another letter to deal with the statements of Messrs. Russell and Dixon, which I will do to-morrow.

Millions of pounds are being spent on the western plains in search of artesian water on the strength of that underground theory of drainage which I believe is an erroneous one; and the result will be, I fear, that after repeated tappings of the underground reservoirs which at present undoubtedly exist, the supply will fail on all except the cretaceous formation, and the wells will become immediately dependent on local rainfall for their water.

If a full and free discussion of the physical forces regulating our rainfall and evaporation will lead us to the truth, both the time of the contributors and your own space will be really well spent.

I am, &c.,
September 15. W. B. CHRISTIE.

OUR FISCAL POLICY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Now that we have discovered that the very expensive financial telegram to London did not emanate from the Colonial Treasurer, but from whom we hope he will allow us to designate the Treasurer-General, we may therefore congratulate ourselves upon the fact, without precedent, that we really have in the present Government positively two Treasurers; the attitude of the Hon. W. B. Dalley and the Hon. G. R. Dibbs at the Dibbs and Holtermann banquet going far to prove it. Notwithstanding this double-barrelled financial talent, it seems unlikely that any special effort at fiscal reform will be undertaken by Parliament next session. Therefore there is no reason why outsiders should not patriotically use their best endeavour to place before the country an equitable fiscal system; and having already at various times submitted a policy which has not been objected to, and which has been liberally admitted into your columns whether agreeable to your views or not, with further permission I will resume the argument.

There is so much to be said in favour of 10 per cent. ad valorem duty on imports and exports, and against the present unjust Customs tariff, that instead of attempting to deal seriatim with the concatenation at this juncture, perhaps it would be more acceptable to suppose the present tariff blotted out, and the proposed new one established, applying the latter to the person of small means, say "that is known now as an honest, free selector,—some would say a rara avis in terris but I prefer to call him an Australian yeoman. Under the coming new land act he will be enabled, we will suppose, to lease for seven years with option of renewal or compensation a small piece of surveyed good land, but his rent per acre will be no more than the grazier of the largest area has to pay. One year's rent will be all that is required to possess the land; and supposing a railway station near, and carriage sufficiently low throughout the colony so as to afford him a market for his produce in all directions, how would the 10 per cent. tariff affect him? At first his plough and other farming implements would be imported, then on these he would pay 10 per cent. ad valorem; but his furniture, house, outhouses, seed, animals, and most of his provisions, and perhaps clothes, not being imported, would pay no duty. Under the present tariff he would have to pay duty on his tea 3d. per lb., deducted from 1s. 6d. leaves 1s. 3d.; then adding 10 per cent., 1½d, the price under the new tariff would be 1s. 4½d. per lb. instead of 1s. 6d. Present duty on tobacco, 2s. per lb., from 5s. leaves 3s.; then adding 10 per cent., 3½d., the price would be 3s. 3 d. instead of 5s. per lb. for imported tobacco. Present duty on rum 12s., deducted from 24s. leaves 12s., then adding 10 per cent. 1s. 2½d., the price would be 13s. 2½d. per gallon instead of 24s. Here, then, in those three articles alone we exhibit greater so-called free trade by lessening duties. But we have been told the present heavy duties are levied for revenue, and some people seem to think they are deterrent. Now, not one of these articles is a necessary, and medical men tell us they are all more or less injurious to health, but may be taken moderately. Let us say medicinally, or as luxuries. Even as the latter there is no just reason why they should be taxed more than anything else; and, singling out spirits, those who trade in them can they be more oppressed than they are? I verily believe if retail spirit dealers were under no more taxation than other legitimate traders, we would have less drunkenness and less people poisoned; crime would be less, and insanity also. "Stolen waters are sweet," and who can say, besides sly grog-selling, if illicit distilling, under present Government temptation, is not going on in the colony to a frightful extent? To levy an excise duty is certainly unpatriotic, yet spirits alone have to bear it, and thus is secret crime caused to doubtless an incalculable extent.

It is extraordinary what a prejudice there is against colonial manufactures; for instance, we have just heard how much Victorian whisky is made, yet none is seemingly sold. I wonder how much of it is drank as the imported article. And so with colonial tobacco, what an enormous profit there must be in selling it as American! The protection there is on tobacco is truly monstrous.

As to tea, it would be interesting to know if the Chinese have commenced to grow it to any appreciable extent in Australia; if so, the policy I advocate will give the same protection there is under our present tariff.

But what of the Australian yeoman's produce? He may require it for his own consumption, but if not, he certainly will not export it, but sell it in Australia, and therefore he will pay no export duty. The small city and suburban man would be under similar advantages—would pay 10 per cent. tax only on imported requirements, but no export duty. Labourer, mechanic, clerk, factory hand, &c., all these would only be taxed according to their means, but not directly, nor even with municipal rates, for endowment from general revenue according to population in municipalities would obviate the necessity to levy any rates.

Surely, then, I have pictured some argument for the fiscal policy I advocate, and will apply it next opportunity to the person of large means.

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To our Friends and Patrons.
Ladies and Gentlemen,—
Having made satisfactory arrangements for the renewal of our Lease and a continuance of our Partnership, we are glad to be able to inform you that the business will be carried on as usual, under the same name and title.
We have to thank our friends for the liberal amount of patronage we have at all times been honoured with, and particularly for the hearty response we met with from the public at our first and only selling off. We think all will admit that it was a genuine sale, and we can say without exaggeration it was one of the most successful ever held in Sydney.
We are now just completing extensive alterations and improvements to modernise our premises to facilitate business operations generally. We have already received over one hundred cases of new goods for the Spring, and have large shipments afloat to arrive during the present and following month. Finally, we have reduced our profits to a minimum rate. We purchase nearly all our goods in the home markets for cash, so that we are able to compete at all times with all comers.
We shall be happy to forward patterns of our Spring Goods to old or new friends on application; and the same careful supervision will be given to all country orders as before.
We are, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Yours obediently,
PEAPES and SHAW.
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Lilies, Marguerites, Chrysanthemums, Carnations
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Combination Wreaths for Hair and Dress, Gold, Silver Mourning and Half Mourning Flowers and Wreaths.

TRIMMED HATS, in the newest styles, 7s 11d to 21s.
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SEE OUR GRAND DISPLAY of ALL SORTS OF GOODS, fashionable and good, and with a reasonable price, IN OUR WINDOWS TO-DAY. Ex Rosetta. Ex Rosetta.
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Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown as advertised. Stabling—Charges moderate, and best forage obtainable.

Heavy Draught, Saddle, and Harness Horses.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
20 head of heavy draught horses, stanch, and in good collar
15 head of saddle and harness horses.

Goulburn Horses.
To Heavy Carriers, Contractors, &c.
TWENTY HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS, to be Sold, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, 19th instant.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. T. and J. Mooney, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, the 19th September, at 2 o'clock,
20 heavy draught colts, 3 and 4 years old, of the well-known TM brand, bred by Thomas Mooney.
The above horses, having been bred in a hilly country, are well adapted for town work, having good hard feet.

PAIR OF DARK CHESTNUT CARRIAGE HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. George C. Welch to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Pair of chestnut carriage horses, 16.3 hands, free from white, broken to saddle, single and double harness, one of which is a first-prize taker.

THREE HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS.
To be sold, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from P. A. Lamb, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock,
Three heavy draught colts, 4 years old this foaling.
Two of the colts are by Davie (imp.), and one by Muir Lad (imp.).

15 ACTIVE 'BUS HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. John Kelly, Goulburn, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, the 19th instant, at 2 o'clock,
15 head of active 'bus and harness horses, in excellent condition.

GOULBURN HORSES.
12 Superior 'Bus and Van Horses, to be sold at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Charles Marshall to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, the 19th instant, at 2 o'clock,
12 head of superior 'bus and van horses, in prime condition.

POWERFUL DRAUGHT HORSE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A powerful black gelding, four years old, stanch in collar and subject to trial.

CAST 'BUS HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from the Secretary of the Sydney Tram and 'Bus Company to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,
10 head of cast 'bus horses, all in hard feed condition.

TO STUD PROPRIETORS.
SIX POWERFUL CLYDESDALE MARES, just arrived from Victoria, to be sold at William Inglis and Co.'s Bazaar, on FRIDAY next.
WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. William Jones, Victoria, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on FRIDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
The following mares:—
1. ROSE, bay mare, 6 years old, by Charles O'Malley, dam Blossom by Doncastle (imported), in foal to Cluney.
2. DIAMOND, bay mare, 4 years old, by Matchless, dam Rose (imported), in foal to Cluney.
3. JESSIE, bay mare, 4 years old, by Marquis, dam Rose (imported), in foal to Cluney.
4. BALLY, chestnut filly, rising three years old, by Victor, dam Rose (imported).
5. BESS, chestnut filly, rising 3 years old, by Victor, dam Diamond (imported).
6. LARRIKIN, dark bay gelding, rising 3 years old, broken to harness, and a splendid mover.

POWERFUL DRAUGHT COLT.
T. COSGROVE and CO. have received instructions from Mr. James Kelly to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A powerful draught colt, 4 years old.

SINGLE-SEATED BUGGY, HORSE, and HARNESS.
T. COSGROVE and CO. have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Single-seated buggy in good order, quiet buggy horse, and harness.

T. COSGROVE and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
8 draught horses
24 stylish light harness and saddle horses
6 active cart or van horses
1 superior pony

HORSES, VEHICLES and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised, and at 12, all lots specially advertised.
Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
Livery: In this department charges moderate, and best of forage

SOCIABLE and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock,
A good second-hand sociable (hooded), by Fitzgerald and Collins, with lamps, brake, &c., in good order; also set of single harness.

On Account of Whom it may Concern.
Ex steamer Delcomyn, F. M. P. Hoffner, master, from London.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock,
SH over 2.—One double-seated Brougham carriage, damaged by sea water, set of carriage harness, two whips, and case, without reserve.

IMPORTANT SALE OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND VEHICLES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from various owners to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock,
16 new American buggies, single and double seated, of various styles, built by the Colombus Manufacturing Company; also several vehicles for various owners, consisting of single and double seated buggies, buckboard buggies, sociables, landaus, &c.
Catalogues on application at the Office.

SADDLE PONY.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
A yellow bay pony gelding, 4 years, broken to saddle and side-saddle, and is a splendid hack.

2 Milch Cows.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
2 first-class cows, with calves at foot. They give 14 quarts per day each, and have just come from Picton.

2 Family Cows.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. Adams, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
2 well-bred milch cows, with calves at foot, good milkers, and can be recommended to any private gentleman for family use.

Double-seated Hooded Buggy.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from C. Roberts, Esq. to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
A double-seated hooded Dexter buggy (by E. M'Carty and Co.), nearly new, to be sold without reserve.

To Cabmen and Others.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 12 o'clock,
A gray mare, quiet in saddle and harness, will stand tram, &c.; square cab, equal to new, and splendid set of harness; making a good lot.

To Merchants and Others.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from R. J. Cook, Esq., Wollongong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
An active bay mare, rising 4 years, subject to trial; is a good sort and would make a splendid animal for a heavy van.
A handsome bay gelding, 6 years, 15.3, by Gamecock, broken to saddle and harness, single and double, and would make a grand match horse.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell by auction, on account of Hunter River Farmers' Association, THIS DAY, on H. R. Company's Wharf, at 11 o'clock,
Bales lucerne hay
Bags maize
Cases eggs.
Bags sorghum seed.
Terms, cash.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 20th instant, at 11 o'clock,
140 prime fat cattle, Messrs. Christian and Grice
20 prime fat cattle, Mr. W. Fitzgerald
10 prime fat bullocks, Mr. W. Hopkins
250 prime fat sheep } per steamer.
500 prime fat sheep }

1000 Head of well-bred Store Bullocks.
At Campbell's Hill, West Maitland.
SATURDAY, 22nd September, 1883.
BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from Messrs. Campbell, Holmes, and Arnold to sell by auction, at Campbell's Hill Yards, West Maitland, on SATURDAY, the 22nd September, 1883, at 12 o'clock,
1000 head of well-bred store bullocks, 3 to 5 years old, in good condition.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms, cash.

1757 STORE CATTLE.
For AUCTION SALE, at MUDGEE, THURSDAY, 4th October proximo.
CROSSING and COX will sell by auction, at the Mudgee Sale Yards, at the time and date above, on account of Messrs. Dunn Brothers,
500 bullocks, 3 to 6 years
500 cows, ditto ditto,
all of the well and favourably known DUN brand, from their Cowbail Station.
On account of Donald Fletcher, Esq.,
130 bullocks, about 2½ years
15 cows, ditto ditto,
from his Balagula Station.
On account of P. Donohoe, Esq.,
112 head mixed cattle, from his Bombah Station.
Also, on or about the same time, on account of J. R. Lomax, Esq.,
500 grand bullocks, 3 to 5 years, from his Wirrah Station.

GRAND AUCTION SALE of TASMANIAN PURE MERINOS.
FINDLAY and BAYNES (in conjunction with the Queensland Mercantile and Agency Company, Limited) will hold their
FIRST ANNUAL SALE of TASMANIAN PURE MERINO SHEEP, at Harris' old wharf, Short-street, Brisbane, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 3rd and 4th October next.
Sheep from the undermentioned flocks have been specially selected by the owners, so as to stamp this first Queensland Sale with the high character which will ensure the future success of the annual auctions.
On account of James Gibson, Esq., Bellevue,
70 pure merino rams, from the original Sir Thomas flock.
Messrs. William Gibson and Son, Scone.
6 pure merino 4-tooth stud rams
53 ditto ditto selected rams.
W. H. Gibson, Esq., Fairfield.
8 pure merino stud rams
5 ditto ditto selected rams
35 ditto ditto flock rams.
Herbert Gatenby, Esq., Rhodes.
4 pure merino stud rams, 4-tooth
4 ditto ditto ditto, 2-tooth
10 ditto ditto selected rams.
George Parramore, Esq., Wetmore.
3 pure merino stud rams
10 ditto ditto stud ewes.
Thomas Parramore, Esq., Beaufront.
8 pure merino stud rams
4 ditto ditto selected rams
20 ditto ditto stud ewes.
J. D. Toosey, Esq., jun., Cressy.
13 pure merino stud rams
19 ditto ditto highly-selected rams, 4 tooth
16 ditto ditto selected rams, 2 tooth.
Joseph Archer, Esq., Panshanger.
12 pure merino stud rams
8 ditto ditto selected rams.
William Gatenby, Esq., Woodburn.
8 pure merino stud rams
15 ditto ditto stud ewes
8 ditto ditto selected rams.
W. H. Bennett, Esq., Blomfield.
12 pure merino stud rams.
Charles Field, Esq., Woodfield.
11 pure merino stud rams
5 ditto ditto stud ewes.
Robert Jones, Esq., Riccarton.
15 pure merino stud rams
21 ditto ditto selected rams
12 ditto ditto stud ewes.
James Cox, Esq., Clarendon.
6 pure merino stud rams.
All the sheep will be in Brisbane for inspection a full week prior to sale.
The Government have gazetted the premises formerly occupied by Messrs. J. and G. Harris, as a special quarantine for this sale, so that inspection will be attended with no inconvenience.
FINDLAY and BAYNES, 7, Gresham-street, near Exchange, Sydney.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price, only at M. A. HUGHES and CO.'S, 580, George-street.

TRADE NOTICE.
GEO. MAIDEN (for R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited) has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Corporation Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, 27th September, at 11 o'clock,
500 prime fat wethers for Messrs. Ross Brothers, Ure Park, trucked at Darlington Point.
And at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, Sydney, at 2.30.
150 very prime fat lambs for the same owners, the best lot of the season.

FAT LAMBS. FAT LAMBS.
GEO. MAIDEN (for R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited) has been instructed by Messrs. Ross Brothers to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, on THURSDAY, 20th September, at half-past 2 o'clock,
150 very prime fat lambs, from Ure Park, the best of the season.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Saleyards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 20th September, at 11 o'clock,
20 prime fat cattle, Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.
1000 prime fat sheep, K. C. A. Cummings, Esq.
300 prime fat sheep, W. Godde, Esq.
135 prime fat ewes, J. Lander, Esq.
192 prime fat lambs, J. Lander, Esq.
100 prime fat sheep, J. Sloane, Esq.
100 prime fat sheep and lambs, from Wagga.
And at Ellis and Co.'s, at 2.30,
240 prime fat lambs, T. Beveridge, Esq., Argoon
240 prime fat lambs, J. Matchett, Esq., Bulong.

TRADE NOTICE.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 20th instant,
152 prime fat cattle for A. Rodgers, Esq.
40 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cobb and Co.
1800 ditto ditto sheep for G. Palmer, Esq.
300 ditto ditto ditto for A. Town, Esq.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at his Wool Warehouse, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, Wool and sheepskins.

POTATOES. POTATOES.
JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, on the Victoria Wharf, on THURSDAY, at half-past 11,
1200 bags prime Circular Head potatoes, in lots to suit purchasers.

WOOL and SHEEPSKINS.
MORT and CO., Limited, will sell by public auction, at their Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, Wednesday, September 19, at 2.30 p.m.,
Sheepskins
Sacks wool.
And at 3 o'clock,
Bales wool.
TERMS, CASH.

FAT LAMBS.
ELLIS and CO.'S YARDS, THURSDAY, September 20.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, Sydney, on THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime lambs, from Breeza
100 ditto ditto, for Mr. R. Binnie.

FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.
HOMEBUSH, September 20.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Corporation Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock,
150 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Christian and Grice
120 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Wood, Ferguson, and Co.
400 ditto ditto sheep, for Mr. C. Button
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Clift Brothers
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. Alston
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. R. Binnie.

R. P. SIMPSON has received instructions from Messrs. G. A. and P. Mein to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY NEXT, the 20th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1939 fat sheep, in lots, second flock.

R. P. SIMPSON has received instructions from Messrs. W. and T. C. Dickson to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY NEXT, the 20th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1660 prime fat sheep, in lots.

T. SULLIVAN and SON have received instructions from James Tyson, Esq. to sell by auction, at the Corporation Saleyards, Homebush, on THURSDAY NEXT, the 20th instant, at 11 o'clock,
312 really prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots, from his noted Warrego Stations, per rail from Nevertire.

TRADE NOTICE.
WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER will sell by auction, at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, 20th instant, at usual hours,
2000 prime fat wethers on account of the Namoi Pastoral Company, Limited, Edgerol
400 prime fat sheep on account of Messrs. Mackay and Copeland, per rail from Wagga.
Also at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, at 2.30 p.m.
140 extra prime fat lambs on account of Alexander Milligan, per rail from Darlington Point.
140 extra fine fat lambs on account of Thomas Gormley, per rail from Carathool; and
100 prime fat ewes on account of Alexander Milligan, per rail from Darlington Point.

WEEKLY STOCK SALE.
INGLIS' STOCK SALE YARDS, 827, George-street.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Stock Sale Yards, 827, George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, September 20, at 11 o'clock.
45 very superior milch cows, with calves; springers, and dry cattle.
At half-past 1 o'clock,
35 prime fat calves, from Campbelltown and Picton
40 ditto ditto, from Goulburn and Breadalbane
100 ditto fat lambs, from Campbelltown
70 ditto fat pigs, from Bega
60 ditto ditto from the Hunter
110 ditto ditto, from Picton, Camden, and Moss Vale
40 store pigs.
At 3 o'clock,
35 prime paddock-fed fat cattle.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from J. Manning, Esq., Narrandera, to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, TO-MORROW, Thursday, September 20, at 11 o'clock,
1500 prime fat sheep, from Murrumbidgee paddocks.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, September 19, at 2 o'clock.
AT THE SALE ROOMS, 143, SUSSEX-STREET.
25 Boxes CONGOU (ex Euxine)
10 ditto ORANGE PEKOE
10 ditto GREEN TEA
1 Case LAMBS' TONGUES
14 Cases TREACLE
3 ditto MUSTARD
5 ditto LIGHT BLUE
20 dozen CHLORODYNE
6 Cases MILK
1 Case PICKLES
2 Cases TOILET SOAP
1 Case NELSON HOPS (in packets)
1 Cask ENGLISH VINEGAR
10 Cases SYDNEY JAMS
180 Quarter-sacks FLOUR
130 ditto OATMEAL (in 7-lb. bags)
20 ditto BLUE PEAS
10 kits SALT HERRINGS
1 Barrel SALMON.
TATE BROTHERS have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 143, Sussex-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, The above, in lots to suit purchasers. Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, September 19, at 2 o'clock.
AT THE SALE ROOMS, 143, SUSSEX-STREET.
20 Cases MARMALADE
40 ditto STARCH
10 ditto MATCHES
40 ditto MUSTARD
50 Casks BLACKING
10 Half-chests TEA
12 Boxes ditto
40 Cases BLUE
600 Gallons WINE
20 Quarter-casks WHISKY
20 ditto ditto BRANDY
4 Cases LADIES' BOOTS
TATE BROTHERS have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 143, SUSSEX-STREET, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, The above, in lots to suit purchasers. Terms, cash.

WEDNESDAY, September 19, at 2 o'clock.
At the SALE ROOMS, 143, SUSSEX-STREET.
In an Assigned Estate.
GROCERIES and OILMEN'S STORES, consisting of
Tea, Sugars, Candles, Rice, Butter, Bacon, Cheese
Tinware and Crockery, Pickles, Sauces, and
A large assorted stock of General Groceries.
REMOVED to the ROOMS for CONVENIENCE of SALE.
TATE BROTHERS have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 143, Sussex-street, THIS DAY, 19th instant, at 2 o'clock, The above, in lots to suit purchasers. Terms, cash.

Sale THIS DAY, at 11.
Prime N. Z. POTATOES, ex Wakatipu.
MR. H. H. LANG (for the N. Z. L. and M. A. Company, Limited), will sell by auction, at the Company's Stores, Erskine-street, at 11 sharp,
800 sacks potatoes.

Sale THIS DAY, at 11.
MILLING WHEAT
SECONDS WHEAT
PRIME BRIGHT OATS.
MR. H. H. LANG (for the N. Z. L. and M. A. Company, Limited), will sell by auction, at the Company's Stores, Erskine-street, THIS DAY, at 11 punctually,
180 sacks milling wheat
50 ditto seconds ditto
850 ditto prime oats.

WHEAT and OATS, ex Annie Bow, from New Zealand direct.
Important to Millers, Contractors, and Carriers.
MR. H. H. LANG (for the N. Z. L. and M. A. Company, Limited), will sell by auction, at an early date,
500 sacks wheat
1500 ditto prime oats.

GEORGE WELLS will sell by auction, at the HUNTER RIVER STEAM COMPANY'S WHARFS, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, Lucerne hay, oaten hay, and maize.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are energetic and pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

WELLS and GREENHALGH will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Newtown, at 7 o'clock, Wood, posts, rails, &c. At Darling Harbour, at 8 o'clock, Wood, posts, rails, &c.

WELLS and GREENHALGH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, 9 o'clock, Hay, straw, chaff, maize, potatoes, pumpkins, &c.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell at Newtown Station, Daily, at 7, Wood, posts, rails, &c.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell at Darling Harbour, Daily, at 8, Wood, posts, rails, &c.

RICHARDSON and NIXON will sell This Morning, at Darling Har., at 9, Hay, corn, chaff, straw, pumpkins.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, posts, rails.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, posts, rails.

Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes.
DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock, Hay, straw, chaff, maize, pumpkins, potatoes.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.
To MERCHANTS, BANKERS, PAWNBROKERS, and OTHERS.
Sale by Auction.
CONSIGNMENT OF FIREPROOF IRON SAFES, various sizes, splendid quality.
Fitted with Cottrell's Patent Lever Locks, Duplicate Keys.
Just Landed, ex Duchess of Edinburgh.
LOUIS COHEN has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 322, George-street, on THURSDAY, September 20, at 11 o'clock,
CONSIGNMENT of SUPERIOR IRON FIREPROOF SAFES.
Terms, cash.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.
AVERY'S WEIGHING MACHINES.
Guaranteed Adjusted.
LOUIS COHEN has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 322, George-street, on THURSDAY, September 20, at 11 o'clock,
3 AVERY'S WEIGHING MACHINES.
Weigh up to 10cwt.
Terms, cash.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of 25 ASSORTED REGISTER GRATES, Various Sizes.
At the Risk and on Account of the Shippers.
Just Landed in good order, ex Morialta.
LOUIS COHEN has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 322, George-street, on THURSDAY, September 20, at 11 o'clock,
25 SUPERIOR REGISTER GRATES.
Terms, cash. NO RESERVE.

THURSDAY, September 20.
TO IRONMONGERS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.
IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION of 177 Packages IRONMONGERY, CUTLERY, PAINT, ROPE, TINWARE, &c., comprising
3 Cases POCKET CUTLERY
10 Ditto SNIDER RIFLES
15 Ditto AXE HANDLES, Nos. 1 and 2
14 Ditto AXLE GREASE
2 Casks PATENT ASBESTOS PAINT, fire proof
40 Drums LIQUID ditto ditto ditto
3 Tins WALKER'S HORSE NAILS
2 Cases SCYTHE HANDLES
2 Ditto HAY RAKES
4 Casks KENTUCKY BILLS
40 Coils EUROPE ROPE
4 Casks RING HOBBLE CHAINS
5 Cases LEMON SQUEEZERS
2 Ditto FENDERS
1 Case FIREIRONS
2 Cases COAL SCUTTLES
1 Case COFFEE MILLS and MEAT CUTTERS
1 Ditto PUMPS
20 Cases GALVANISED SCREWS
1 Case CROSSCUT and PIT SAWS
5 Casks ASSORTED TINWARE
2 Bales BROWN PAPER.
To Close Accounts.
LOUIS COHEN has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 322, George-street, on THURSDAY, September 20, at 11 o'clock,
177 packages IRONMONGERY, &c.
Terms, cash.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of THE LEASE, LICENSE, GOODWILL, and FURNITURE of THE STEYNE HOTEL, MANLY BEACH.
LOUIS COHEN has received instructions from Mr. P. Cohen to sell by auction, during the early part of next month, October,
The LEASE, LICENSE, and GOODWILL of the STEYNE HOTEL, MANLY.
FURNISHINGS of 40 ROOMS.
BILLIARD TABLES, PIANOS, PLATE, GLASSWARE, &c.
Inventory in course of preparation.
Satisfactory reasons given for the proprietor relinquishing business.
Terms at sale.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
At the Rooms, Pitt and Bathurst streets.
R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction under rent warrant, unless previously satisfied, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Removed for convenience of sale.

THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock.
At the PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH, Kent-street, near King-street,
SEATS, PEWS, FITTINGS.
R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed by the Sydney Marine Benefit Society to sell by auction, on the premises, The above, without reserve.

FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock.
At Vesey's-street, Waterloo, near Wesleyan Church, Raglan-street.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed by Mrs. George Veseys to sell by auction, on the premises, The whole of the superior furniture and effects. Without reserve.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.
In the Estate of the late D. Macquarie, Esq.
ANDREW ALLAN has received instructions from the Executors in the above Estate to sell by auction, at the Bridge, Rushcutter Bay, on MONDAY, the 24th September, at 11 o'clock,
The plant of the late contractor, consisting of—
A building of corrugated iron, 45 x 20, with office fittings
A 4-horse steam engine (D. and W. Robertson), nearly new, with winding gear
Two powerful draught horses
80 casks cement (Brooks and Shoobridge), in sound condition, about 400 ironbark sleepers, 8.8 x 4
Hardwood logs, 12 x 12
Lot Oregon pine, 7 feet, 3 x 2
Arch centres, 25 feet, 3 feet rise
Two drays, double and single crab winches
Arch centres, 4ft. 6in. x 3ft., to complete sewer barrel for 100ft.
Steelyards, to weigh 600lb.
10 12ft. ash oars, pumps
Portable forge, vice, cramps, tools, trollies, iron chains
Centres, for sewer construction
18in. drain pipes
And a lot of sundries, suitable for builders.
Terms, cash. No reserve.
Office—143, King-street.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, FURNITURE DEALERS, and Others.
GARLAND and HARRISON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, 377, King-street, Newtown, Cook's River-road, SATURDAY AFTERNOON next, at 2.30 sharp.
The whole of the choice and valuable household furniture, consisting of—
Drawing-room and dining-room suites, loo and other tables brilliant-toned upright grand pianoforte, by Lipp and Sons; sweet-toned rosewood cottage piano, by Bord; Brussels and other carpets, engravings and oleographs, tubular bedsteads, chests drawers, double washstands and set, with marble top, and other articles too numerous to mention; kitchen utensils, &c.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

FANCY GOODS, CUTLERY, HARDWARE, STATIONERY, SHEET MUSIC, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, GUNS, REVOLVERS, JEWELLERY, CIGARS, TOBACCO, CIGARETTES, PICTURES, MEERSCHAUM, BRIAR, and CLAY PIPES, CLOCKS, TWINES, CHAIRS, ORNAMENTS, &c.
Important Notice to Town and Country Buyers.
Genuine and Positively Unreserved Sale.
N. HERMAN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 152, Pitt-street, next Evening News Office, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 11 sharp, The above; and at 12,
60 boxes first-class brands tobaccoes, duty paid
100,000 cigars, all choice brands
75,000 cigarettes, newest brands in the market.
Also, at quarter-past 12,
1,000 pieces music, 60,000 envelopes; and at half-past 12,
20 cases safety matches, to be sold in lots to suit purchasers.
At quarter to 1,
1 American piano box buggy, with hood and lamps complete, quite new. Same can be seen this day, and up to time of sale to-morrow, at Hever's stables, Pitt-street, opposite Hoffnung's new warehouse. Must be sold, owner leaving Sydney.
The whole of the above for positive unreserved sale.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 20th instant, at 11 o'clock.
BUILDING MATERIALS of FLOUR MILLS
Chimney Stack of splendid Bricks
Galvanised Iron Roof, &c.
H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the Premises, rear Sussex-street, near H. R. N. S. N. CO.'S WHARF, The above.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.
H. L. DUNN and SON will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. Joseph Davis, of Park-street, consisting of clothing, boots, blankets, at 11 o'clock; sundries at 12 o'clock; jewellery at 2 o'clock.

ORDER OF AUCTION SALES by Messrs. CHAS. MOORE and CO., 123, Pitt-street.
THIS DAY, 19th instant. Entirely Unreserved Sale of W. and G. CHINAWARE, EARTHENWARE, GLASSWARE, &c., ex Illawarra.
TO-MORROW, 20th instant. Invoices of French Woollens, Cashmeres, Merinos, Summer Clothing, Hats, Longcloths, Sheetings, Prints, &c., just landed ex Rosetta.
FRIDAY next, 21st instant. Entire Unreserved Sale of Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Fish, Wines and Spirits, &c., just landed ex Colwyn.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
TO CHINA and EARTHENWARE DEALERS, &c.
120 packages of WHITE and GOLD CHINAWARE EARTHENWARE GLASSWARE.
Ex s. Illawarra.
CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, without any reserve, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
120 packages, as above, comprising—
White and gold cups and saucers
Ditto assorted ware
Ditto candlesticks and eggcups
Ditto toiletware, assorted
Pheasant plates, 6 to 10 inch
Ditto dishes, 9 to 16
Ditto cover dishes, round and square
Printed toiletware, assorted
Granite ditto, assorted
Granite plates, 6 to 10 inch
Ditto dishes, 9 to 16
Printed Irish teas, assorted
Granite jugs, in sets
Printed band and line ditto, ditto.
Glassware, in tumblers, ports, sherries, lamp chimneys, &c.
NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 20th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
To DRAPERS, CLOTHIERS, WOOLLEN MERCHANTS, &c.
Invoices of New Goods in
FRENCH WOOLLENS, CASHMERES
MERINOS, DRESS GOODS
SUMMER CLOTHING, FELT HATS
LONGCLOTHS, SHEETINGS, PRINTS, &c., &c.
Just Landed, ex Rosetta.
CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the consignors to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, 20th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
Invoices of the above new goods, comprising,
J. A. & Co. in oblong.
1—1 case black French cashmere, assorted number
2—1 ditto ditto ditto merino, ditto
3—1 ditto ditto ditto ditto, super.
20-21—2 cases 6-4 French tweeds, assorted patterns
30-31—2 ditto ditto coating, ditto
32-33—2 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
576-7—2 ditto dress goods in beiges, serges, sateens, &c.
756-7—2 ditto longcloth, fine numbers
758-9—2 ditto white twilled sheeting, 80 to 108 inch
53—1 case new pattern spring prints
127—1 ditto men's summer tweed trousers
128—1 ditto ditto ditto and vests
129—1 ditto ditto sac suits
130—1 ditto ditto West of England ditto, &c., &c.
Terms at sale.

On FRIDAY next, 21st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
To WHOLESALE and RETAIL GROCERS, &c.
Entirely Unreserved Sale of GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES FRUITS, FISH, TEAS WINES and SPIRITS, &c.
Just Landed, ex Colwyn.
CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY next, 21st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp, Invoices of the above goods.
No reserve.
Full particulars on Thursday.

POST-OFFICE AGENCY AND AUCTION COMPANY, 114, PITT-STREET, opposite POST-OFFICE.
To Gentlemen Furnishing, Picture Dealers, Country Buyers, and others.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, September 19, at 11.
GRAND SALE of ENGLISH OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, and WATER COLOURS, by well-known English Artists; also, 7-octave COTTAGE PIANOFORTES, in Walnut, by H. A. Ivory and Co., and Mornington and Weston, of London.
THE P. O. A. and A. COMPANY will sell by auction, THIS DAY, Wednesday, September 19, at their CENTRAL ROOMS, 114, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock,
5 cases very choice proof engravings, oak frames
4 ditto English oil paintings, by well-known artists—Black, Morris, Gray, Cooke, Laglois, &c.
4 ditto very superior oleographs, best subjects
2 ditto water colours—yachting scenes.
Also,
Magnificent full-toned 7-octave pianos, by Ivory and Co., and Mornington and Weston, of London, with all the latest improvements—Collard and Collard repeater action, ivory keys, and registered sharps.
These instruments were awarded prizes at the Melbourne Exhibition.
The above are all to be sold without reserve.

POST-OFFICE AGENCY AND AUCTION COMPANY, 114, PITT-STREET, opposite POST-OFFICE.
NEXT FRIDAY, September 21, at 11 o'clock.
To Shippers, Country Buyers, Toy and Fancy Warehousemen, Dealers, Hawkers, and others.
5 Cases, 600 dozen Assorted MOUTH HARMONICAS, just arrived by Mail Steamer.
6 Cases AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE
3 ditto Assorted PORTRAIT ALBUMS.
THE P. O. A. and A. COMPANY have received instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 114, Pitt-street, WITHOUT RESERVE, on FRIDAY next, September 21st, at 11 o'clock, The whole of the above, without reserve, and comprising a very large variety.

MARAVI, EDGECLIFF-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.
SALE BY AUCTION, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, on the above Premises, the late residence of S. THOMPSON, Esq., on account of his REMOVAL.
The WHOLE of the CHOICE and VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of
HANDSOME DRAWINGROOM SUITE in WALNUT
WALNUT SIDEBOARD, Plate-Glass Back and Doors, Marble Top
PIER-GLASS in Black and Gold, SEWING-MACHINE
FINE-TONED Semi-Grand PIANO, by COLLARD and COLLARD
PIANO, by ERARD, AMERICAN ORGAN
TURKEY, BRUSSELS, TAPESTRY, and other CARPETS
DINING-ROOM SUITE, Cabinets, Sideboard, Tables, Cornices, &c.
VERY HANDSOME SPANISH MAHOGANY DOUBLE WARDROBE, Dome Top, Plate-Glass Doors, &c.
Other WARDROBES
BEDSTEAD, Bedding, Washstand Ware
BREAKFAST, DINNER, DESSERT, and TEA SERVICES
Large lot ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
HALL FURNITURE, Garden Seats, Chairs, &c.
Large Assortment KITCHEN REQUISITES, Safe, Tables, Chairs, &c.
Also, Canvas Dingy, Bicycle, Guinea Pigs, assortment Ferns and Plants, &c., &c.
PALMER, THOMPSON, and DENNY, have been instructed to sell by auction, THIS DAY, as above.

CATALOGUES on application at the Rooms, 113, PITT-STREET.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, at 11 o'clock.
SUPERB GOLD and SILVER JEWELLERY
MAGNIFICENT NICKEL and BRASS CLOCKS
WATCHES, DIAMONDS, &c.
The ENTIRE STOCK of an IMPORTER, who is retiring from business.
The articles comprise
NICKEL and SILVER CHRONOGRAPH WATCHES
Ladies' Gold Hunting and O.F. Keyless ditto
GENT.'S SILVER HUNTING and O.F. ditto
GENT.'S GOLD STUDS, SOLITAIRES, NECKLETS
Lockets, Half Suites, Pins, Gent.'s Suites
GENT.'S and LADIES' ALBERTS, DOUBLE and SINGLE
Ladies' and Gent.'s Fancy Rings, Crosses
NICKEL and PLATED ALBERTS, LOCKETS
Bracelets, Brooches and Earrings, Pendants, &c.
LADIES TORTOISESHELL BACK COMBS, beautifully mounted in silver and gilt
Hair and Dress Pins, and a VARIED ASSORTMENT of SUPERIOR KNICK-KNACKS, Charms, &c.
Similar GOODS as EXHIBITED in our late EXHIBITIONS.
To Watchmakers, Jewellers, Private Buyers, and the Trade in General.
MESSRS. B. R. HARRIS and CO. have been favoured with instructions to sell THE ABOVE SUPERIOR GOODS by auction, at their Rooms, 28, O'Connell-street, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock.
FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

RARE OPPORTUNITY TO OWNERS OF VACANT LAND, NORTH SHORE.
SALE of the BUILDING MATERIAL, ANDERSON TRAINING HOME, MIDDLE HARBOUR, by auction, NEXT SATURDAY, 22nd September, at 3 o'clock, ON THE GROUND.
The whole of the MATERIAL IN THE BUILDINGS, which are CONSTRUCTED of the very best timber, and erected for the Training Home, consisting, first, of the home, which contains 10 rooms—size, 10 feet x 12 up to 32 x 12; stables, workshops, and outbuildings, together with band saw and horse-power machine; horses, carts, ploughs, tanks, and a large quantity of household furniture.
FREE 'BUSES ON DAY OF SALE, from Milson's Point at 2 p.m.
The public are invited to INSPECT the property previous to sale.
WITHERS, CALLAGHAN, and BROWN, Auctioneers, 136, Pitt-street.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are energetic and pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

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Auction Sales.

ORDER OF SALE
at the
NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 19th September. — IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS and COTS, Collins' L.H. Shovels, SARATOGA TRUNKS, AXE HANDLES, Naylor's DH Shovels, Manchester Boxes, Deed Boxes, Scarboro' Trunks, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddlery, &c.
ALSO, WITH ALL FAULTS.—58 cases AXES (various), Shovels, SHOW-CASES and TRAYS, Clocks, Hammers, Fly Traps; 4 CASES IRON LATH FOLDERS and Fantail HATCHETS, 2 FIRE RANGES, 10 BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT.
Also, at 3 p.m. — SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, of every description, and SELECTION of LONDON-MADE FURNITURE, &c.

THURSDAY, 20th September. — At 11 a.m.—EXTENSIVE PACKAGE SALE of CROCKERY and GLASSWARE. 121 PACKAGES, ex Anglo-Norman, from London, 70 CASES CLOCKS, 4 TONS COTTON FLOCK.
Also, at 3 p.m.—UNRESERVED CLEARANCE SALE of FANCY GOODS, &c.

FRIDAY, 21st September. — PERAMBULATORS, BICYCLES, TRICYCLES, VELOCIPEDES, BABY CARRIAGES, &c., of English and American Manufacture.

TUESDAY, September 25. — AT THE NEW AUCTION MART, at 11 o'clock, SURPLUS STORES and IMMIGRANTS' FITTINGS, ex Assaye, from London, under instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO., the Agents.

HARRIS and ACKMAN, AUCTIONEERS, 197, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, with all faults.
2 FIRE RANGES
10 BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT.
To Ironmongers, Builders, Contractors, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above, by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER,
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, ex Colwyn, from London.
8 CASES, containing—
MANCHESTER BOXES, DEED BOXES
EUROPEAN and SCARBORO' TRUNKS.
To Ironmongers, Trunk and Portmanteau Dealers, Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, with all faults.
Ex John Duthie, from London.
2 CASES IRON LATH FOLDERS, each 12
1 CASK BRIGHT FANTAIL HATCHETS.
To Ironmongers, Furniture Warehousemen, Bedding Manufacturers, Island Traders, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS CASH.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR PRIVATE SALE BY AUCTION.
Ex Sarah, from Boston.
12 CASES COLLINS' L. H. SHOVELS, 2 and 3
250 SARATOGA TRUNKS
80 CASES AXE HANDLES
10 Ditto NAYLOR'S D. H. SHOVELS.
To Hardware Firms, Ironmongers, Portmanteau Manufacturers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
WITH ALL FAULTS.
Ex Antioch, from New York.
19 CASES SHARPE'S AXES, 4 to 6
7 DITTO COLLINS' DITTO, 4 to 6
5 DITTO KING'S DITTO
8 DITTO L. H. R. P. SHOVELS, each 10 dozen
7 DITTO SHOW CASES
1 DITTO SHOW TRAYS
7 DITTO CLOCKS
8 DITTO CHENEY'S HAMMERS, each 2 dozen
1 CRATE PARAGON FLYTRAPS, 5 dozen.
To Hardware Firms, Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock in the AFTERNOON.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising—
DRAWING-ROOM SUITES in WALNUT, E.E. DESIGN, upholstered in Blue and Gold Figured Satin
DITTO, Inlaid and Covered Crimson and Gold Satin
DITTO, in Bismarck Figured Silk Damask
DITTO, Green and Gold and Crimson Figured ditto
BOUDOIR SUITE, E.E. design, in Crimson and Gold
OVAL LOO TABLES, Octagon and Occasional Tables
Miniature Carved WALL BRACKETS, P.G. Backs
&c., &c.
DINING-ROOM SUITES in
SPANISH MAHOGANY, covered in Morocco
DITTO, Horsehair Suites.
EXTENDING DINING TABLES, with Telescope movement.
BEDROOM FURNITURE.
ELEGANT SUITES in POLISHED KAURI PINE, comprising large THREE-WING WARDROBE, TOILET TABLE, Marble-top WASHSTAND, TOWEL HORSE, &c., en suite
COMBINATION DRESSING TABLES and CHESTS OF DRAWERS
CEDAR WARDROBES, with P. G. Centre Doors
CHESTS OF DRAWERS in POLISHED CEDAR
DUCHESS TOILETS and WASHSTANDS ditto
WARDROBE in POLISHED PINE, with P. G. Doors
Towel Horses, Chests of Drawers, Toilet Tables, &c., &c.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION. Ex Jerusalem, from London.
4 CASES LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S SADDLES, &c., comprising
LADIES' SADDLES, plain solid, quilted seat, &c.
GENTLEMEN'S COLONIAL SADDLES, Hogskin all over, &c.
PELHAM BRIDLES, Round WEYMOUTH Bridles
SNAFFLE BITS, LOOSE RINGS, &c.
To Saddlers, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY 19th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION. Ex Duchess of Edinburgh, from London.
45 CASES IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS, and COTS, comprising
4 CASES each 10½ inch HALF-TESTER, 6·6 x 2·6 assorted colours
4 ditto ditto 8½ inch ditto, 6·6 x 3, ditto
4 ditto ditto 8½ inch ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, with L. S. bar, ditto
5 ditto ditto 8·1 inch ditto, 6·6 x 3, assorted colours
5 ditto ditto 8·1 inch ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, ditto, L. S. bar
6 ditto ditto 8·1 inch four-post, 6·6 x 3, assorted colours
6 ditto ditto 8·1 inch ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, L. S. bar ditto
3 ditto ditto 8·1 inch HALF-TESTER, 6·6 x 3, ornamented and gilt
16 ditto ditto 8·1 inch ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, L. S. bar
4 ditto ditto 8·1 inch FOUR-POST, 6·6 x 3, ornamented and gilt
6 ditto ditto 8·1 inch ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, L. S. bar, ditto
4 ditto ditto 6·2-inch TUBULAR FOUR-POST, 6·6 x 4·6, ornamented, extended foot-rail, and gilt L. S. bar
3 ditto ditto, 6 HALF-TESTER 2-inch TUBULAR, 6·6 x 4·6, extended foot-rail, L. S. bar.
3 ditto ditto, 6 ditto ditto, 6·6 x 4·6, not extended.
To Bedstead Manufacturers, Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR MADE ENGLISH FURNITURE, comprising
MAHOGANY COUCHES, in HAIR SEATING
DITTO, covered in LEATHER
GENTLEMEN'S EASY CHAIRS, in HAIR and LEATHER
LADIES' DITTO, in ditto and ditto
MUSIC STOOLS, Morocco Tops
WALNUT LOO TABLES
Inlaid Walnut Occasional Tables
DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in Green Rep
WALNUT INLAID WHATNOTS, P.G. Backs
Towel Horses, &c., &c.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Cabinetmakers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Brokers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 197, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION. On account of whom it may concern.
4 TONS COTTON FLOCK.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Upholsterers, Bedding Manufacturers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER.
EXTENSIVE PACKAGE SALE BY AUCTION of 121 PACKAGES CROCKERY and GLASSWARE.
Ex Anglo-Norman, from London, comprising—
DINNER WARE, White Granite, Cable Line, New Lily, Enamel, Colours, Parian, Porcelain, &c.
TOILET SETS, W. G. Printed, White and Gold, &c.
EWERS and BASINS, Chambers and Jugs
CUPS and SAUCERS, White Granite, White and Gold, Blue, Figured, Printed, Sponged, Lined, &c.
EGG-CUPS, Sugars and Covers, Butters and Stands
C. C. Bakers, Mugs, Pudding Basins, Salad Bowls
Toy Cases, Dishes, Bowls, &c.
GLASS SUGARS and CREAMS, GLASS BUTTERS
WATER BOTTLES, TUMBLERS, WINES, LAMP GLASSES &c., &c., &c.
To China, Glass, and Earthenware Dealers, Furnishing Houses, Storekeepers, Dealers, Shippers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 20th September.
At 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
UNRESERVED CLEARANCE SALE by AUCTION of FANCY GOODS, &c., the Stock of an Importer, removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale, consisting of
TOYS, ALBUMS, STATIONERY, PURSES
LUSTRES, ELECTROPLATED WARE, CLOCKS
TRAYS, BIRD CAGES, DESKS, WORKBOXES
DOLLS, PORTEMONNAIES, TABLE MATS
Exercise Books, Memo. Books, Toy Steamers, and Waggons
Pictures in gilt frames, Sponges
TOBACCONISTS' GOODS, TURNERY, DOLLS' CARRIAGES
Pencilcases and Penholders in Aluminium, &c.
CIGAR CASES, CARD CASES, CABINET GOODS, TOOL CHEST
IVORY, TORTOISESHELL, and MOTHER-O'-PEARL GOODS
Ladies' Dressing Cases, Companions
CUT STEEL JEWELLERY of every description
6 CASES CONCERTINAS, assorted
&c., &c.
To Fancy Warehousemen, Toy Repositories, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, Shippers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 20th September, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
NO RESERVE. Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION. To Close Accounts.
70 CASES CLOCKS.
To Clockmakers, Jewellers, Furnishing Houses, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
NO RESERVE. TERMS AT SALE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
THE NEW AUCTION MART, 197, PITT-STREET.
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, under instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO., as Agents.
The WHOLE of the SURPLUS STORES and IMMIGRANTS' FITTINGS.
Ex ASSAYE, from London.
To Shipchandlers, Grocers, Tea Dealers, Providores, Caterers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO. to SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, No. 197, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, September 25, at 11 o'clock.
Full particulars in future issues.
NO RESERVE. Terms at sale.

THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 19.
2173 COLONIAL SUGARS.
Direct from the Growers.
SPLENDID GRAINY COUNTERS
OILMEN'S STORES, TINNED FRUITS
CONFECTIONERY, CURRANTS
DAVIES' SUPERFINE VICTORIAN FLOUR
TASMANIAN HOPS, &c., &c.
FRASER and CO. will sell the above, at the City Mart, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 19th.
At the City Mart, at 11 o'clock.
Ex City of Sydney.
H in diamond,
8 BALES CALIFORNIAN HOPS.
On account of whom it may concern.
FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, 19th, at 11 o'clock.

THIS DAY.
12 tins Peppermint Lozenges
24 ditto Conversation ditto
12 ditto Fruit ditto
60 ditto Scotch Mixtures.
FRASER and CO. will sell the above, at the City Mart, at 11 o'clock.

THIS DAY.
4 bales White Printing Paper
1 bale Paper Bags, assorted
5 cases Van Houten's Cocoa.
FRASER and CO. will sell the above, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

FRIDAY, September 21st, at the City Mart, at 3 o'clock.
TIMBER CARGO of ship Johan Irgens, from San Francisco, comprising
115,000 feet CLEAR REDWOOD, 1 to 6 inch
600 REDWOOD DOORS
600 bundles REDWOOD SKIRTINGS MOULDINGS and ARCHITRAVES.
800 bundles REDWOOD SHINGLES
50 REDWOOD MANTELS.
By order of Messrs. LORIMER, ROME, and CO.
Arrangements have been made for the quick discharge of this cargo.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above, at 3 o'clock,
The redwood cargo of the ship JOHAN IRGENS, from San Francisco.
Catalogues will be issued.

PRELIMINARY.
TUESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, on the premises,
JOHN ROBERTSON'S CARRIAGE FACTORY, 483, Pitt-street South.
Extensive Clearing Sale of first-class made
BUGGIES, CONCORDS
SOCIABLES, WAGGONETTES
Springcarts
Town Waggons
Tipcarts, &c.
By order of Mr. JOHN ROBERTSON, 483, Pitt-street South.
In consequence of his early Retirement from Business.
The gentry and trade are invited to inspect the splendid stock of Vehicles that will be sold without reserve, on the premises.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above, 68 vehicles, embracing buggies, concords, waggonettes, springcarts, tipdrays, &c.
Inspection invited.

TO THE TRADE.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, at 11.
54-inch Black Italian Cloths, 40-inch Silesias, fancy ditto, Plain and Fancy Dress Materials, Coloured Bordered Shawls and Squares, Black Alpacas, Silk Parachutes and Umbrellas, Zanilla ditto, an Invoice of Bedslips, Hats, Hosiery and Haberdashery, Men's White Shirts, Oxford and Harvard ditto, Floorcloths, body and bordered, Figured Sateen Aprons
OPEN STOCK of DRAPERY
MEN'S, BOYS', and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, for the coming season.
JAMES RODD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, THIS DAY, sharp 11,
INVOICES packages and broken cases of the above.

WEDNESDAY, September 19, at 12.
3 Cases MEN'S TWEED TROUSERS
2 Ditto MEN'S BLUE 4-button SACS
1 Case R. R. TWEED TROUSERS
1 Ditto Ditto KNICKER SUITS.
THESE ARE FOR UNRESERVED SALE.
JAMES RODD is instructed to sell by auction, the above, at 12 sharp.

A CONSIGNMENT of RARE OLD BRONZES, VASES, CHINA BOWLS, CARVINGS and EASTERN CURIOS for sale by auction,
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, at 11.
The COLLECTION comprises some magnificent Bronzes, Rich China Wall Plates, unique and rare old Corean, Satsuma, and Kanga Vases, Japanese China Dishes, Sets, &c., new in design, and worthy of special attention—altogether forming one of the best collections received.
JAMES RODD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, at 11 o'clock, on FRIDAY NEXT,
A collection of bronzes and china wares, catalogues of which are in preparation, and will be forwarded upon application.
ON VIEW THURSDAY NEXT.

To Stationers, Printers, Bookbinders, Architects, Dealers, and others.
THE STOCK OF A RETAIL STATIONER.
Removed to the Rooms, in consequence of alterations to premises.

PAPERS.	Foolscap, Note, Post, Antiquarian Drawing, Tinted, and Tracing Printing and Grocer's Papers
BOOKS.	Letters, Copying, Account, Stamp Memorandum and Pocket Books Novels and Periodicals
INKS.	Black, Red, Copying, and Endorsing
PICTURES.	Large Photos (War Scenes) and Engravings.
CUTLERY.	POCKET and OFFICE KNIVES, Scissors, &c.
SUNDRIES.	Japan Boxes, Legal Seals, Inkstands, Maps, Parchment, Date Boxes, Clips, Drawing Pencils, Leads, Key Rings, &c., and a few fine COPYING PRESSES.

KELLETT and ALFORD will sell by auction, at their Saleroom, 80, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 sharp, 150 lots as above, without any reserve.
FANCY GOODS, CUTLERY, E.P. WARE
BRUSHWARE, TOYS, DOLLS
SOAPS and PERFUMERY
CLOCKS, SEWING MACHINES, &c.
KELLETT and ALFORD will sell by auction, at their Sale-room, 80, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, at 12 sharp,
The above goods, immediately after the sale of stationery stock. No reserve.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 20th September, at 11 o'clock.
437, OXFORD-STREET, PADDINGTON.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, totally unreserved.
W. A. IRWIN and CO., 126, Pitt-street, will sell by public auction, on the premises, 437, Oxford-street, Paddington, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 20th September, at 11 o'clock.
A large quantity of household furniture and effects, totally without reserve, in consequence of the proprietor removing from the district.
Full particulars see handbills and Herald of TO-MORROW, Thursday, the 20th.
TERMS AT SALE.

ORDER OF SALE
at the
CENTRAL LAND AUCTION ROOMS, 418, George-street (near the Royal Hotel).
THURSDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30.

BURWOOD.	LAND, 11 acres 3 roods 39 perches, near the residence of Mr. Smith and the proposed line of railway to Liverpool. ADMIRABLY SUITED for SUBDIVISION.
ULTIMO.	SMALL HOUSE, No. 29, Little Mount-street, 3 rooms, large cellar, large yard, side entrance.
SUMMER HILL.	FAMILY DWELLING, Wellesley-st., next to the residence of Mr. Little, containing hall, drawing-room, dining-room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c.; land, 30 x 136.
GLEBE.	LOTS 10 and 11, section 2, LYNDHURST ESTATE, Darling and Broughton streets, each 16½ feet frontage.
WAVERLEY (Old South Head-road).	TERRACE, 4 houses, near Cowper-street, brick on stone, 4 rooms, verandah balcony, washshed, &c.; rental, £145 12s; land, 54 x 150.
WAVERLEY.	MORTON COTTAGE, Waverley Crescent, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, LAND, 45 x 126.
WAVERLEY.	A DETACHED DWELLING, Ben Eden-street, built of hardwood, 4 rooms, verandah and balcony; land, 21 x 100. VIEW OF THE HARBOUR.
WAVERLEY.	A GENTEEL COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Ben Eden-street, built of W.B., nicely finished, hall, 4 large rooms, verandah, &c.; land, 36 x 120.
WAVERLEY.	LOTS 5, 6, 7, 8, Chesterfield Heights; 30, 35, PALMERSTON ESTATE; and 25, 26, Trafalgar Heights.
HOMEBUSH.	UNDERWOOD ESTATE (Flemington), lots 9, 10, 11 sec. 2, lot 19 sec. 9. Each lot has a depth of 200 feet.
WATERLOO.	SMALL COTTAGE, No. —, Hanover-street, brick on stone, 3 rooms, 15 feet frontage; residue 99 years' lease.

C. T. BURFITT, Licensed Auctioneer.
(See next Saturday's S. M. Herald.)

"MELROSE" ORANGERY.
SEVEN HILLS and WINDSOR ROADS.
BAULKHAM HILLS.
The Land contains an area of about 161½ ACRES, is FENCED IN and PLANTED with 1400 choice ORANGE TREES, and 300 FRUIT TREES of VARIOUS KINDS, together with good HOUSE and out-buildings on the property.
PERMANENT WATER SUPPLY.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from J. POLACK, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Temporary Sale Rooms, 105, PITT-STREET, opposite UNION BANK,
on TUESDAY, 9th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above choice ORANGERY and FARM, known as "MELROSE," exceptionally situated on the SEVEN HILLS and WINDSOR ROADS, to which it has frontages of 1518 and 380 feet respectively, adjoining the property of Messrs. S. H. ACRES, Schofield, Pierce, &c., and about 3 miles from SEVEN HILLS Railway Station, and 8 miles from PARRAMATTA.
CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, ORCHARD SEEKERS, and others cannot do better than inspect this valuable property.
It is REMARKABLY WELL WATERED in the driest seasons, its soil being of that RED AND CHOCOLATE LOAM so favourable to the growth of the ORANGE, LEMON, and other FRUIT TREES, while the CLIMATE is all that can be DESIRED.
Subdivided into 30 ACRES of ORANGERY and ORCHARD, 70 ACRES CULTIVATION PADDOCKS, and 60 ACRES TIMBERED LAND.
TITLE, GOOD FREEHOLD (unquestionable).
TERMS CASH, or, at option of purchaser, £2000 MAY REMAIN on Mortgage till 6th September, 1891, at 6 per cent.
SOLICITORS for the Vendor, Messrs. LAURENCE and RICH, Castlereagh-street, from whom all particulars as to TITLE may be obtained.

Preliminary.
MAGNIFICENT STERLING CITY PROPERTY.
PITT-STREET, SYDNEY
PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
Nearly opposite MORT'S-PASSAGE, and only a few yards from the GENERAL POST OFFICE.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the TRUSTEES to sell by public auction, at their Temporary Salerooms, 105, Pitt-street, opposite Union Bank,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
That unrivalled block of CITY LAND, situate in PITT-STREET, to which it has a frontage of about 24 feet by the splendid depth of 180 feet, with entrance from the LANE at side, on which IS ERECTED that NEW and SOLIDLY-BUILT warehouse and premises lately occupied by Mr. D. Scott, photographer, adjoining the premises of Messrs. RICHARDSON and WRENCH.
The position of this property is perhaps the choicest and most valuable in the whole of Pitt-street, and as such its advantages CANNOT BE EXAGGERATED.
Full particulars will appear in future advertisements.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Auctioneers.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES invite an inspection of their NEW PROPERTY CIRCULAR.
COPIES FREE on application or by post.
Rooms, 105, Pitt-street.

PETERSHAM NORTH, convenient to Railway or Tram.
KIERA, a very desirable and attractive semi-detached RESIDENCE, on the west side of NORTON-STREET, Elswick Estate, a few yards north of the PARRAMATTA-ROAD.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned suburban residence, within easy reach of Petersham railway station, or the tram at Leichhardt.
Full particulars in a few days. In the meantime inspection invited. Title, Torrens'.

HEIGHTS of BALMAIN, OPPOSITE THE PIGEON GROUND RESERVE, one of the most attractive and popular positions in this accessible favourite Suburb.
BOOTH-STREET at DARVALL-STREET, and Roadway at rear.
By ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the LATE H. E. TIDSWELL, Esq.
That well known first-class Family Residence, ALDERLEY, most faithfully constructed of massive stone, slate roof, and containing every convenience requisite in a comfortable homestead.
A CHOICE VILLA SITE, adjoining the above, with fine FRONTAGE TO BOOTH-STREET, and a GREAT DEPTH.
Also
A BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, fronting Little Stephen-street, and abutting on the above.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
LOT 1.
That faithfully-built and well-appointed Family Residence, ALDERLEY, of massive stone, slate roof. It contains wide entrance hall, drawing and dining rooms with folding doors, 7 bed rooms, 2 pantries, kitchen and servant's room; with several outhouses.
The water supply, from large reservoir, is unfailing.
The grounds, area about half an acre, are laid out into flower garden, lawn, orchard, and paddock.
They have 114½ feet frontage to Booth-street, with a depth of 255 feet, and are all securely enclosed, and have ornamental fence along the frontage.
A really desirable Family Residence in the most elevated part of Balmain, from which there is a very extensive and picturesque view of the greater part of the suburb, and also glimpses of the beautiful harbour scenery.
LOT 2.
A very valuable and nicely-situated Villa Site adjoining lot 1, area 1 rood 10 perches, and having 80 feet frontage to Booth-street, with a depth of 25½ feet on one side and 213 feet on the other. It is securely fenced and ready to build upon.
LOT 3.
A good block of Building Land on the western boundary of the above, and having 60 feet frontage to Little Stephen-street, with a depth of 86 feet on one side, and 78 feet on the other.
CARDS to view Alderley can be obtained on application at the Rooms, Pitt-street, where also a plan of the three lots can be inspected.
TERMS, LIBERAL, at sale—one-third cash, balance can remain for 3 years at 7 per cent. per annum.
T. J. JAQUES, Esq., Pitt-street, is the Solicitor of the Estate.

TO MECHANICS and SMALL CAPITALISTS.
GLEBE FREEHOLDS.
TWO COTTAGES in GREEK-STREET, off BAY-STREET.
In one or two lots.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st September, at 11 o'clock,
That block of freehold land having 37 feet frontage to Greek-street, with a depth of 80 feet, on which are erected TWO brick-built COTTAGES, containing each 2 rooms and kitchen, yard, water.
Conveniently situated small dwellings, between Bay-street and Glebe-road, and only a short distance from George-street West.
For particulars of title, apply to J. H. CLAYTON, Esq., Solicitor, Pitt-street.
TERMS.—Half cash; half may remain for 3 years at 6 per cent.

BEN BOYD-ROAD, NEUTRAL BAY.
A charming elevated, and convenient position, on the Ben Boyd or Great Military road, a few yards from where it terminates at Neutral Bay Steam Ferry Wharf, St. Leonards.
MARYVILLE, a NEAT and THOROUGHLY WELL-BUILT VILLA, just completed, on good allotment, built of brick, slate roof, contains verandah front and back, wide hall, 5 rooms, pantry, kitchen, shed, &c.
. Inspection is specially invited to this attractive and faithfully-built villa, situated on an eminence less than 100 yards from the ferry wharf, and having a good frontage to the magnificent road lately formed by the Government to connect the Great Military-road with the harbour at Neutral Bay. The views are extensive and beautifully varied, affording glimpses of the constantly-changing flotilla of large and small craft on our harbour waters, and also a commanding prospect of St. Leonards and the surrounding heights, and of the Botanic Gardens and the city, with its villas, &c., in the distance.
The trip from No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, past Kirribilli Point, is the prettiest in the harbour, and occupies just 10 minutes. The Government are commencing the erection of a jetty at Neutral Bay this month, and the conversion of the head of the bay into a Reserve is projected. The prosecution of the great public works on the North Shore, for which Parliament voted £250,000 last session, and compliance with the building conditions in most of the leases, will convert Thrupp's 700 acres into an important and populous suburb, with the amplest ferry accommodation, within the next few years.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, about 94 years to run, at the very NOMINAL Ground RENT of £5 per annum.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above eligibly-situated desirable villa residence, at NEUTRAL BAY, NORTH SHORE.
PREMISES open for inspection DAILY from 10 to 5.30.

ON ACCOUNT and RISK of FORMER PURCHASER.
WAVERLEY, close to NELSON BAY.
EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, being lots 12 to 16, and 21 to 24 of a subdivision between BRONTE ESTATE and the GLEN, the residence of D. Fletcher, Esq.
It has the following frontages:—250 FEET to NELSON BAY-ROAD, 212 feet to THOMPSON-STREET, by a depth of 240 feet on one side, and 300 feet on the other.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described capital large block of land, with double frontage, close to first-class properties in this quickly-reached eastern suburb.
Plan on view.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES in the ASSIGNED ESTATE of Mr. J. HITCHCOCK.
BALMAIN HEIGHTS, opposite the PIGEON GROUND RESERVE.
DWELLING, with Large BLOCK of LAND, in SORRIE-STREET, off BOOTH-STREET, within 5 minutes' walk of STEPHEN-STREET FERRY.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st September, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT PIECE of land, having 66 feet frontage to SORRIE-STREET, a few yards from BOOTH-STREET, with a depth on one side of 114 feet, and 120 feet on the other.
On portion of the land is erected a two-story WEATHERBOARD HOUSE, on stone piers, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, and scullery, also side entrance.
At the rear is a weatherboard stable and workshop.
The water supply is from a 400-gallon iron tank and well.
ABOUT 40 FEET FRONTING SORRIE-STREET is available for building.
A desirable investment, with good building frontage, in this favourite part of Balmain, close to the Pigeon Ground Reserve and Public school, and within easy walking distance of Stephen-street ferry.

CHOICE BUILDING LANDS in CITY and SUBURBS.
1st. DARLINGHURST.—Splendid SITE, No. 61, CRAIGEND ESTATE, 21 feet 9 inches frontage to Craigend-terrace, with a great depth.
An elevated spot, immediately opposite Mr. J. Hourigan's terrace, and only a short distance from William-street South and Darlinghurst-road.
2nd. RANDWICK.—Three magnificent ALLOTMENTS, Nos. 8 to 10, of sec. 1, of GIBSON'S SUBDIVISION, each 20 feet frontage to AVOCA-STREET, with a depth of 120 feet, extending to a lane.
These sites occupy the CHOICEST POSITION in this favourite and highly improved street of the popular borough of Randwick. They have an eastern aspect, command ocean views, and are close to the tram.
3rd. WAVERLEY.—Valuable BLOCK of LAND, Nos. 9 to 11, OMNIBUS COMPANY'S SUBDIVISION, having 99 feet frontage to O'DOWD-STREET, depth 140 feet, extending to lane.
O'Dowd-street is off Victoria-street, east of the Charing Cross. They are handy to the tram, and look towards the ocean. Torrens' Act.
4th. WAVERLEY.—Well-situated BLOCK of LAND, having 247 feet frontage to ARDEN-STREET, with a depth of 170 feet.
. Portion of Seaview Hill, between Waverley and Coogee.
5th. STANMORE.—SIX ALLOTMENTS, Nos. 20 to 25, of GARRETTY'S SUBDIVISION, each 20 feet frontage to a street off Emily-street, between Tupper-street and Enmore-road, depth 107 feet.
These sites are close to the tram on Enmore-road, and handy to the new park resumed by Government. Torrens' Act.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned choice city and suburban lands.
Plans on view at the Rooms.

BELL'S LINE of ROAD, beyond the famous KURRAJONG, leading to Mount Tomah.
Close to the surveying new line of Railway to Bowenfels.
300 ACRES (IN THREE LOTS) of each 100 acres, by grant, fronting said road, adjoining FRY'S well-known highly-improved ORCHARD, PARISH of WHEENEY.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on
FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described land in the romantic and healthful district of BELL'S LINE of ROAD, beyond KURRAJONG, the soil being well adapted for the growth of orchard fruits. So soon as this locality is brought by train within easy reach of the metropolis, it must become a pleasant resort, and land will largely enhance in value and be actively inquired for.
PLAN on View.
TERMS at Sale.

WESTON-STREET, BALMAIN, the main thoroughfare to the New Bridges.
CLEARANCE SALE of the few UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS on HILL CREST ESTATE, south of DARLING-ROAD, and adjoining ST. THOMAS' CHURCH.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The following allotments on Hill Crest Estate, Balmain:—
Nos. 4 and 5, TWO CORNERS, each having frontages of 26 feet to WESTON-STREET, 90 feet to a STREET, 26 feet to a wide lane.
Nos. 6 and 7, each 24 feet to WESTON-STREET, depth 90 feet, extending to a lane.
. Valuable sites for business premises, being on the main street leading to the Bridges.
TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, balance in 3, 6, 9 and 12 months, at 6 per cent. interest.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

PEREMPTORY SALE.
By order of the Executors of the Estate of the late Mr. P. DEERY.
TO SMALL CAPITALISTS and OTHERS.
DWELLING-HOUSES and ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, in SURRY-STREET, DARLINGHURST, and BROUGHAM and DUKE STREETS, near William-street, Woolloomooloo.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st September, at 11 o'clock,
The following small CITY FREEHOLDS.
SURRY-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
Lot 1.—Block of Land, No. 36, of the Craigend Estate, having 36 feet frontage to the east side of Surry-street, with a depth of 78 feet. On portion of the frontage is erected No. 42, a 2-story DWELLING of brick on stone foundations, with verandah in front, and containing 5 rooms with kitchen, shed, stable for 4 horses, feed room, &c., at the rear; yard with cart entrance, water laid on. Rental, £1 2s 6d per week.
. About 20 feet of the frontage is vacant, and available for building purposes—a capital property for a dray or cab proprietor.
Lot 2.—BLOCK of LAND, having 36 feet frontage to Surry-street, with a depth of 76 feet, on which are the following premises:—
No. 64, Surry-street, a recently-built DWELLING of brick on stone, with verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms and kitchen; gas is laid on.
No. 62, Surry-street, a stone COTTAGE of 2 rooms.
Rental £1 4s per week.
Lot 3.—Allotment of Land, having 17 feet 5 inches frontage to Surry-street, with a depth of 76½ feet, on which is No. 66, a DWELLING-HOUSE of stone, with balcony at rear, and containing 6 rooms; shed, water laid on, &c., at rear. Rental, 15s per week.
Lot 4.—Allotment of vacant Land, adjoining lot 3, having 18 feet 5 inches frontage to Surry-street, with a depth of 76½ feet.
. This lot has the right to the party wall, with fireplaces built therein.
Lot 5.—Block of LAND, having 35 feet 10 inches frontage to Surry-street, with a depth of 72 feet, on which are the following premises:—No. 74, a small SHOP, let at 6s per week. No. 76, a brick and stone DWELLING, containing 2 rooms, attic, kitchen, and cellar, 2 sheds, water laid on, now in the occupation of Mrs. Deery.
WOOLLOOMOOLOO.
CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, having frontages of 33 feet to BROUGHAM-STREET, 33 FEET to DUKE-STREET, 122 FEET to BROWN'S-LANE; on it are the following dwellings:—
Nos. 201 and 203, BROUGHAM-STREET, TWO COTTAGES of brick and stone, containing each 3 rooms, yards, connected with sewer.
Nos. 186 and 188, DUKE-STREET, TWO HOUSES, of brick and stone, containing each 2 rooms and kitchen, yards, &c., at rear.
RENTAL, £2 1s per week.
. This block is only a few feet from William-street.
Good letting properties, in valuable parts of the city, convenient to the business centre. They must be disposed of to close the estate.
Plans in preparation.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Estate.

NEWTOWN and CROYDON.
LOT 1, NEWTOWN.—VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of Building LAND, ALICE and HAWKEN STREETS, Camdenville Estate, between Cook's River-road, and Edgeware-road, and only a few yards from the LAND RECENTLY RESUMED by GOVERNMENT for a PARK for the Marrickville Borough.
LOT 2, CROYDON.—Well-built, tastefully finished and delightfully-situated COTTAGE RESIDENCE, at the corner of ANTHONY and ELIZABETH STREETS, in the Highbury Estate, overlooking the grounds of the CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, and looking down Elizabeth-street, Ashfield. It is only a minute's walk from the station.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned suburban cottage and building land.
Full particulars will shortly be announced.
Plans on view. Titles, Torrens' Act.

PRINCE ALFRED PARK.
VALUABLE CITY ALLOTMENT, portion of the well-known CLEVELAND ESTATE.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
That choice building site, being portion of lot 6, section 4, of the Cleveland Estate, having frontages of
14½ FEET to BUCKINGHAM-STREET
14½ FEET to LITTLE BUCKINGHAM-STREET,
with a depth through of 91 feet.
This conveniently situated allotment is on the east side of Buckingham-street, between Belvoir and Bedford streets, only a minute's walk of PRINCE ALFRED PARK and the tram, handy to the railway and the business centre.
The right to the adjoining party wall, with fireplaces built, is sold with the land.
Plan on view of the land.

SUBURBAN SITES.

PETERSHAM.	Good ALLOTMENT, being No. 8, of section 3, of the MORPIALLOC ESTATE, adjoining NORWOOD PARK. It has 40 feet frontage to PARK-ROAD, depth 127 feet 9 inches.

. This site is only a few feet from Sydenham-road, between Illawarra-road and Livingstone-street, and 10 minutes from Petersham railway station.

ROOKWOOD.	TWO CORNER SITES, in section 3 of the GRASMERE ESTATE. Lot 29 has frontages of 30 feet to CLARENCE-STREET, 150 feet to MILTON-STREET. Lot 30 has 36 feet to LIVINGSTONE-ROAD, 150 feet to Milton-street.

. Only five minutes' walk from the railway station, on the south side of the line.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described suburban lands.
Plans on view. Title, Torrens'.

MILSON ESTATE, FIRST SUBDIVISION, ALFRED-STREET, ST. LEONARDS.
Faithfully-built and well-finished RESIDENCES in this favourite street, nearly opposite WHALING-STREET, and only 5 minutes' walk from Lavender Bay Ferry Wharf.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
St. Leonards Freeholds, as follows:—
Lot 1. All that block of land having 25½ feet frontage to the west side of Alfred-street, with a depth of 171½ feet on one side and 173½ feet on the other, extending to Little Arthur-street. On it is erected PORTREE, a most substantially-built and tastefully finished detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with verandah front and rear, and containing hall, 4 large rooms, servant's room, kitchen, washhouse, with copper and wood and coal, large sheds, underground water tank with pump at rear, garden plot in front.
. This dwelling is occupied by Mr. Manners at £60 per annum on a monthly tenancy. The Little Arthur-street frontage is vacant, and suitable for 2 dwellings.
Lot 2. Allotment of land, close to the above, having 18½ feet frontage to Arthur-street, 18½ feet to Little Arthur-street, with a depth through of 180½ feet. On it is No. 1, of Nithsdale-terrace, a two-story RESIDENCE, built of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, with garden plot, verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 5 large rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse with copper, water tank and very large yard, with side and back entrance.
. Gas is laid on. The front of the dwelling is cemented, and the other outside walls painted.
Very desirable, substantially-built and tastefully finished residence, in an elevated and well-situated part of this popular and advancing marine suburb.
Inspection particularly invited.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.
COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND, on the NORTHERN RAILWAY EXTENSION.
TWO VALUABLE BLOCKS of LAND (W. H. Morris' grants), at the junction of WYONG CREEK and JELLIBY JELLIBY CREEK, about 12 miles north of GOSFORD, and near the NORTHERN EXTENSION of RAILWAY, now in course of construction.
AREAS.
LOT 1—38 ACRES.
LOT 2—41 ACRES 1 ROOD.
They are divided by a Government road, and each has frontages to
WYONG CREEK
and
JELLIBY JELLIBY CREEK.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described two valuable blocks of Land, a plan of which can be inspected at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.
Messrs. DAINTREY and JONES, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Trustees.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE Estate of the Late GEORGE LEE, Esq.
SUBURBAN and COUNTRY LANDS.
CONCORD.
ELEVATED and EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, 3 acres 1 rood 38 perches, portion of McDONALD'S ESTATE of BISHOP'S 110-Acre GRANT, having frontage to two roads, about 1½ miles from BURWOOD STATION, and half a mile from MORTLAKE JETTY, on the PARRAMATTA RIVER. It is on the crown of the hill, and between the ORCHARDS of Messrs. McDONALD and NASH.
. A capital block for an orangery.
BURWOOD.
TWO CORNER SITES, CHELTENHAM-ROAD, LUCAS-ROAD, and PRINCESS-STREET, being lots 27 and 28 of section 2 of the well-known CHELTENHAM ESTATE.
. These are between the railway line and Parramatta-road.
HOMEBUSH.
CORNER ALLOTMENT, No. 8 of section 2 of the first subdivision of the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, having frontage to BURLINGTON-ROAD and ROCHESTER-STREET.
. On the south side of the line, and close to the railway station. Title, Torrens'.
LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, Botany Bay.
Block of Land, in area ONE ACRE, being lots 1, 2, and 4 of section 1 of South Scarborough Estate, having 198 feet frontage to Alfred-street, close to the BEACH and RESERVE. Title, Torrens'.
TOWN OF MUDGEE.
CORNER LOTS 1 and 20 of section 26, Church and Gladstone streets.
VILLAGE OF RYDAL.
EIGHT ALLOTMENTS, Nos. 1 and 2, section 13; Nos. 1, 2, and 9, section 25; Lots 3, 5, and 6, section 9; close to Railway Station at Rydal, Western Line.
WALLERAWANG.
21 ACRES 2 roods, portion of No. 4, parish of Lidsdale, county of Cook, fronting the main road, close to the Railway, about one mile from Station and eight miles from LITHGOW.
CLARENCE TUNNEL, Western Line.
40 ACRES, portion 72, parish of Lett, county of Cook, about one mile from platform and seven miles from Lithgow.
BOWENFELS, near Lithgow.
1090 ACRES 1 rood, 19 perches of FREEHOLD LAND, with a pre-emptive lease of about 1411 acres.
The freehold has about 3 miles frontage to Cox's River and Farmer's Creek, and the main road runs through it.
This estate adjoins the property of A. BROWN, Esq., and is convenient to Bowenfels.
ABOUT 100 ACRES WAS UNDER CULTIVATION.
A good block for a subdivision.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 5th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above described choice suburban and country lands, full particulars of which will shortly be announced.
Plans on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. FITZHARDINGE and LUCAS, Pitt-street, are Solicitors to the Estate.

WILL BE SOLD A BARGAIN.
COMPACT MOUNTAIN COTTAGE, with nearly an ACRE OF LAND, Beautifully Situated, close to the VALLEY PLATFORM, and adjoining WYOMING House and Grounds.
It is well FURNISHED, has a good water supply, garden in splendid order, and securely fenced.
The accommodation consists of large dining-room and parlour 20 x 12, breakfast room 12 x 10, three good bedrooms, kitchen and servant's room, storeroom, harness-room, and stable.
. The prettiest little home on the Western line, and only [illegible] miles from Sydney. It is substantial, neatly finished, and in good order. Inspection invited.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 5th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-situated and compact mountain retreat, with or without the furniture.
An inventory can be inspected at the Rooms.
Plan of position on view.

FIRST GRAND SUBDIVISION of the CAMPBELLFIELDS ESTATE, situated adjoining the MINTO STATION, of the GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY, 3 miles on the Sydney side of CAMPBELLTOWN.
DAY OF SALE, 6th OCTOBER, 1888, ON THE GROUND, at 2 o'clock.
About 2000 ACRES of this rich Land have been subdivided as follows, viz.:—
THE TOWNSHIP OF MINTO, having Allotments of about HALF AN ACRE EACH, with ROADS from 99 FEET to 66 FEET WIDE.
SUBURBAN SITES FOR VILLA RESIDENCES, ranging from 3 to 15 ACRES EACH.
AGRICULTURAL and GRAZING FARMS, varying from 15 to 27 ACRES EACH, and so arranged that buyers may obtain LARGE BLOCKS up to 180 ACRES free from intersecting roads.
TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the HON. S. A. JOSEPH, as agent for the proprietors of the CAMPBELLFIELDS ESTATE, to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND,
On SATURDAY, the 6th OCTOBER, 1888, at 2 o'clock p.m.,
The above extensive, valuable, and well-known property subdivided into THREE CLASSES of INVESTMENT, viz.:—
THE TOWNSHIP of MINTO, containing 160 ACRES of the estate, immediately adjoining the MINTO RAILWAY STATION, has been laid out with much care into allotments, averaging about half an acre each, having 66 feet frontages to wide roads and streets, the principal road, running along the railway fence, being 99 feet wide, and none of the streets are less than one chain in width.
THE SUBURBAN VILLA SITES, of which there are about 150 in number, range in size from 3 acres to 15 acres, and have been so arranged that buyers may obtain large blocks suitable to their requirements. They have all frontages to wide roads, and a large area of them consists of cleared land of rich soil, which some years since was under cultivation and suitable for its crops.
On LOT 148, containing 14a. 3r. 14p., partly enclosed with fencing, and fronting a 99-foot road, is a well-built weatherboard residence, having brick chimneys, and containing verandah on three sides, hall, six rooms, and outhouses, with good tank in centre of yard.
On LOT 149, containing 11a. 3r. 36p., adjoining the above, is a well-built weatherboard house with brick chimneys, having verandah in front, and containing five rooms. About one acre of the land has been laid out and planted as a garden and orchard.
On LOTS 6, 25, 111, and 214, are various small improvements, and on LOTS 134 and 135, of 3 ACRES EACH, stands the old HOMESTEAD of the Estate, occupied by Mr. P. Scanlon, the present lessee of a portion of the estate.
Outside the Suburban Sites the remaining portion of the land has been subdivided into AGRICULTURAL and GRAZING FARMS, containing various areas, ranging from 15 TO 27 ACRES, and so arranged that buyers may obtain large blocks extending to 180 acres free from intersecting roads.
Many of these farms are cleared, and when fenced will be ready for immediate cultivation.
THE TERMS OF SALE ARE LIBERAL—10 PER CENT. CASH DEPOSIT, 15 PER CENT. by promissory note at 3 months' date without interest, and the BALANCE at 1, 2, and 3 YEARS, with interest added at 6 per centum per annum, without mortgage.
BUYERS of £500 and UPWARDS may let TWO-THIRDS of their purchase money remain on MORTGAGE for 5 YEARS, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per centum per annum, payable quarterly.
A SPECIAL TRAIN on the DAY OF SALE will leave the REDFERN STATION at 12.45 SHARP. TICKETS for which can only be obtained at the AUCTIONEERS' ROOMS, at a Cost of TWO SHILLINGS each for the RETURN JOURNEY.
FREE LUNCHEON will be provided on the ground, and the SALE will COMMENCE immediately afterwards.
PLANS ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS, and LITHOGRAPHS are now ready for issue.
Messrs. NORTON, SMITH, WESTGARTH, and SANDERS, of Spring-street, Sydney, are SOLICITORS for the vendors, and the estate has been laid out and clearly marked by Messrs. ATCHISON and SCHLEICHER, surveyors, Pitt-street.

T. R. SMITH, CHAPMAN, and SMITH will sell by public auction, at the Red House Auction Rooms, [illegible], George-street, THIS DAY, September 19, at 11 o'clock, the following properties:—
House, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, washhouse, large yard, water laid on, close to tram, and every convenience.
Portion of Holt-Sutherland Estate, 4 acres, near Captain Cook's Monument, lease 99 years to run.
Thorn Hill Farm, Penrith, lately residence of Miss Single, fronting Windsor and Richmond roads, and directly opposite the residence of W. Landers, Esq. It consists of house, cottage, stables, coachhouse, garden, 50 acres of land, and every convenience. For further particulars apply to the auctioneers.

SOUTH WATERLOO. SOUTH WATERLOO.
THE WORKING MAN'S SUBURB.
15 Minutes' Drive from Sydney.
Tram passes this renowned estate.
To be SOLD by AUCTION, On the GROUND, on SATURDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, on EXCEPTIONAL LIBERAL TERMS.
£5 DEPOSIT, BALANCE £1 per MONTH, INTEREST, [illegible]
5 Per Cent. allowed for Cash.
T. R. SMITH, CHAPMAN, and SMITH have received instructions to sell by auction, on the Ground, on SATURDAY, the 22nd of September, at 3 o'clock, Allotments in the above estate.
Easy terms.
Free Tram Tickets.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price, only at M. A. HUGHES and CO.'s, 360, George-street.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are [illegible] pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

Auction Sales.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SUNDRY PROPERTIES
to be
SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
THE ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET,
at
11.30 o'clock,
THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1883.

DARLINGHURST. A. W. B. COTTAGE, being No. 68, SURRY-STREET, situate between THE CRAIGEND and BARCOM ESTATES. THE LAND has a frontage of 36 feet.

SURRY HILLS. FOUR COMFORTABLE DWELLING-HOUSES, being Nos. 57, 59, 61, and 63, GIPPS-STREET, close to MACQUARIE-STREET. THE LAND has a frontage of 51 feet 8 inches.

WAVERLEY. A COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, situate fronting the NELSON BAY-ROAD, and known as HELENSLEIGH. THE LAND, 96 x 140.

WAVERLEY. SIX STONE-BUILT HOUSES, situate fronting HIGH-STREET, and known as GLENROCK-TERRACE.

WAVERLEY. A TERRACE of FOUR HOUSES, situate fronting HIGH-STREET, and known as ROSE-TERRACE.

BURWOOD. A well-positioned COTTAGE VILLA on the LIVERPOOL-ROAD. THE LAND has 66 feet frontage by a great depth to BLIGH-STREET.

ENMORE. TWO COMFORTABLE DWELLING-HOUSES, known as RICHMOND HOUSES, situate fronting SIMMONS-STREET.

NORTH KINGSTON. A COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as STAFFORD COTTAGE. THE LAND has a frontage of 33 feet by a depth of 83 feet.

ANNANDALE. TWO ALLOTMENTS, having 66 feet frontage to JOHNSTON-STREET; also TWO LOTS, fronting YOUNG-STREET.

WAVERLEY. TWO ALLOTMENTS on the MILL-HILL ESTATE, each having 20 feet frontage to MILL HILL-ROAD.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

WAVERLEY.

FOR OCCUPATION OR INVESTMENT.

LOT I.
A COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, situate and known as HELENSLEIGH, NELSON BAY-ROAD, WAVERLEY, commanding beautiful sea and landscape views. The house is substantially built, and contains ample accommodation for a gentleman's family. LAND, 96 feet x 140 feet.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

LOT II.
FOUR STONE-BUILT HOUSES, situate and being Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 5, GLENROCK-TERRACE, HIGH-STREET, Waverley. ALWAYS LET. Each containing 4 rooms and verandah.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

LOT III.
TWO STONE-BUILT HOUSES, known as Nos. 7 and 9, GLENROCK-TERRACE, HIGH-STREET, WAVERLEY, each containing 4 rooms, verandah, &c. NEVER WITHOUT TENANTS.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

LOT IV.
A TERRACE OF FOUR HOUSES, situate and known as ROSE-TERRACE, HIGH-STREET, WAVERLEY, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, outoffices, &c. ESTIMATED RENTAL, £187 4s per annum.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORNAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., THIS DAY, September 19.
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED CHOICE PROPERTIES, SITUATE at WAVERLEY, OFFERING DESIRABLE INVESTMENTS, EITHER FOR OCCUPATION OR FOR THE PROFITABLE EMPLOYMENT OF CAPITAL.

GIPPS-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

FOUR comfortable DWELLING-HOUSES, being Nos. 57, 59, 61, and 63, GIPPS-STREET, close to MACQUARIE-STREET, built of brick on stone foundations, shingled roof, and containing 4 rooms each, at present worth a rental of £145 12s per annum. The LAND has 51 feet 8 inches, by a depth of 46 feet to a lane at rear. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, THIS DAY, 19th September,
The above described property.

COTTAGE VILLA AT BURWOOD.

That well-positioned Cottage Villa, on the Liverpool-road, immediately opposite to the residence of W. H. Pigott, Esq., M.P., next to The Meads (Mrs. Kater's) and Austinlea (Mrs. Austin's), and close to the well-known properties of Messrs. Turner, Mullens, and others; substantially built of brick on stone courses, with verandah, hall, drawing-room and dining-room, each 15.2 x 14.2; two good bedrooms, each 14 x 12.6, servant's room, kitchen, laundry, pantry and storeroom, wood shed, and large water supply. The land has 66 feet frontage to Liverpool-road by a great depth through to Bligh-street, to which there is a frontage of about 120 feet. The title is under Torrens' Act.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions by Mrs. AUSTIN to sell by public auction, at their Salerooms, in Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER,
Cottage villa, on Burwood Heights, as above.

The position is one of the choicest at Burwood. The villa faces north, and commands the pretty views of Burwood and Redmyre, with Pennant Hills and Ryde in the distance.
NOTE.—Inspection will be by ORDERS ONLY, which can be obtained from the auctioneers for Tuesdays and Thursdays.

NO. 44, SURRY-STREET, DARLINGHURST, BETWEEN THE CRAIGEND and BARCOM ESTATES,
having 36 FEET FRONTAGE by a depth of 79 feet 8 inches on one side, and 81 feet 6 inches on the other, running back to the BARCOM ESTATE, upon which is erected a W.B. COTTAGE, containing three rooms, &c., and at present in the occupation of Mr. DAUNCEY.

TITLE, APPLY to MESSRS. DUNN and LYONS, SOLICITORS, KING-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 19,
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PROPERTY, SITUATE on THE HEIGHTS of DARLINGHURST, and CLOSE to UPPER WILLIAM-STREET SOUTH.

NORTH KINGSTON, ENMORE, ANNANDALE, and WAVERLEY.

LOT 1. NORTH KINGSTON, a comfortable COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as STAFFORD COTTAGE, situated fronting DENISON-STREET, built of brick on stone, and containing 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, &c.; gas and water laid on, garden in front; land 33 feet frontage 83½ feet deep to a lane at rear. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

LOT 2. ENMORE. TWO COMFORTABLE DWELLING-HOUSES, known as RICHMOND HOUSES, situated fronting SIMMONS-STREET, close to the TRAM, built of brick on stone, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, balcony, verandah, gas and water laid on, garden in front, and yard at rear; land, 30 feet by 92 feet deep. TITLE, TORRENS'.

LOT 3. ANNANDALE, lot 22, sec. 27, ANNANDALE ESTATE, having 66 feet frontage to JOHNSTON-STREET by 190 deep; also lots 27 and 28, sec. 34, having 50 feet frontage to YOUNG-STREET, by 100 feet deep. TITLE, TORRENS'.

LOT 4. WAVERLEY, lots 35 and 36, sec. A of the MILL HILL ESTATE, each having 20 feet frontage to MILL HILL-ROAD, by 100 feet deep, opposite HOPE-STREET. Title, Freehold.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
THIS DAY, 19th SEPTEMBER,
The above-described properties.

IN THE VERY CENTRE OF NEWTOWN.

Within a stone's throw of the Newtown Railway Station, and the Banks, Public School, &c.
The unsold portions of the well-known
THURNBY ESTATE,
CONSISTING OF 36 EXCELLENT BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
Situate fronting TRAFALGAR-TERRACE and GLADSTONE-STREET,
Close to the Tram Stopping Place.
THE CENTRE OF THE BOROUGH, where land must largely increase in value.
THE TITLE IS UNDER TORRENS' ACT.
The terms are as follows, £10 deposit each allotment, and the balance in 8 quarterly payments, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, at NEWTOWN, at 3.30 p.m.,
on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, September 22,
The above-described unsold allotments on the THURNBY ESTATE.

Plans are in course of preparation, but can be obtained shortly on application at the Rooms.
FREE TRAM TICKETS for DAY of SALE may be obtained at the Rooms.

ILLAWARRA-ROAD, MARRICKVILLE.

A LARGE BLOCK of LAND, 184 feet frontage to the ILLAWARRA-ROAD, by a great depth of 255 feet, situate opposite the WARREN ESTATE, and being portion of the RIVERSIDE ESTATE.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER,
The above-described block of land, situate within convenient distance of the tram terminus, and which has for some time past been used as a quarry.

No. 96, CLEVELAND-STREET, DARLINGTON.

A BLOCK OF LAND,
Having 20 feet frontage by 76 feet deep to a lane at rear, upon which is erected an Iron Shed, at present occupied by Mr. GOLDSPRING as a COACH FACTORY. Title, Leasehold; lease having 18½ years to run, at a ground rent of £6 per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 26th September,
The above-described property, sold subject to a sub-lease at £20 per annum.

THURNBY ESTATE, NEWTOWN.

BLOCK OF LAND, being LOT 4 of the first subdivision of the THURNBY ESTATE, having 30 feet frontage to TRAFALGAR-TERRACE, by a depth of 60 feet.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, on the Ground, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 22nd SEPTEMBER, at 3.30 o'clock,
The above-described lot, situate close to the railway station.

PRETTY VILLA RESIDENCE AT BURWOOD.

STRATHDON, a COMMODIOUS VILLA RESIDENCE, situate fronting DRIVER'S-ROAD, well built of brick on stone foundations, slate roof, fitted with cedar and containing drawing and dining rooms (with folding doors and marble mantelpieces), 3 other rooms, kitchen, scullery, servant's room, bath (with plunge and shower), pantry, &c., gas laid on and fitted throughout; at present occupied by Mr. Fisher; large supply of good water, by underground and surface tanks. The land has a frontage of 90 feet to DRIVER'S-ROAD, by a depth of 135 feet through to Mount Pleasant-terrace. Small tastefully laid-out garden in front.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Mr. Fisher (on account of his projected departure for Europe) to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER,
The above-described desirable villa residence, containing every convenience, situate within a few minutes' walk of the BURWOOD or REDMYRE Railway Stations, and ready for immediate occupation.
Persons on the look-out for a comfortable and compact residence on the railway line should at once inspect this property, which must be seen to be appreciated.
Cards to view this property may be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

PEAKHURST,
near Hurstville, Illawarra Railway line.
30-ACRE FARM,
of well-grassed land, a portion under cultivation, including 500 young Orange and other Fruit Trees.
Also, TWO COTTAGES.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Mr. Pickering (the resident owner) to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER,
His well-known 30-acre farm at Peakhurst, all cleared with the exception of 2 or 3 acres of trees for cover, well grassed, and the richest soil, a part being laid down in orange and other trees, together with 2 COTTAGES, stabling, outhouses, &c.

This eligible property is well fenced on 3 sides, is situate a few hundred yards beyond the Peakhurst Public School, and is in every way a most desirable position for one or two good residences, for farming and cultivation purposes, or for subdivision.
The soil beyond Hurstville and around Peakhurst is well known for its rich quality.
Intending buyers can inspect at any time, as Mr. Pickering is resident on the farm.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JAMES CURTIS, ESQ.

CITY PROPERTIES.

LOT 1.—HUNTER-STREET, SOUTH SIDE.—The RESIDENCE and WORKSHOP for many years occupied by the late Mr. James Curtis. The Land has a frontage of 51 feet 10 inches to HUNTER-STREET, by a depth of between 50 and 60 feet.

LOT 2.—HUNTER-STREET, NORTH SIDE.—BLOCK of LAND, having a frontage of 31 feet by a great depth of 141 feet on one side, with a small piece running towards Phillip-street, eminently suited as the site for AN HOTEL, COFFEE PALACE, or for OFFICES, as the trams to EVERY SUBURB stop opposite to it.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late James Curtis, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER,
The ABOVE-DESCRIBED VALUABLE BLOCKS OF CITY.

SOLICITORS TO THE ESTATE.—J. M. Curtis, 132, Elizabeth-street.

PLAN, prepared by Messrs. REUSS and HALLORAN, can be seen at the Rooms.

. These properties are for sale to close accounts. Both are well-positioned. Lot 1 adjoins the property resumed by the GOVERNMENT, upon which land the CENTRAL TRAM OFFICE is likely to be erected; and Lot 2 adjoins those two new 3-storied residences lately erected by Mrs. SIMMONS. This block is equal to a corner, as it faces ELIZABETH-STREET.

KATOOMBA.

J. B. NORTH'S SUBDIVISION,
situate in the VERY CENTRE of this rising and prosperous township.

A MAGNIFICENT FREEHOLD BUILDING ESTATE, ripe for immediate development, placed within three minutes' walk of the station, occupying a situation unequalled perhaps in the principality for natural advantages and picturesque attractions, and possessing about ONE MILE OF FRONTAGE TO THE RAILWAY AND MAIN BATHURST ROAD. Portions of the Estate, comprising many BEAUTIFUL SITES suitable for the Erection of RESIDENCES OF A SUPERIOR CLASS, commanding exquisite views of the surrounding charmingly undulating country, extending for miles, whilst the land nearest the station is most eminently adapted for the Erection of BUSINESS PREMISES, BANKING AND OTHER COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS, which are so much needed. The Estate, which is wonderfully level for mountain land, is divided into numerous and convenient lots, to suit the requirements of all kinds of purchasers, each lot having an ample frontage to a good road. Mr. Hepburn will be on the property every day, to show the different lots to any intending purchaser.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the owner, J. B. North, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the Ground, at KATOOMBA, on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th,
The above-described BUILDING ESTATE, situate at KATOOMBA, which is only 66 miles from Sydney, and is reached by the Great Western Railway direct, the latter portion of the route being especially interesting. The mountain passes, deep ravines, rushing torrents, placid estuaries, all combine to render the transit to Katoomba an almost unparalleled journey of varying and unwearying interest.

It is difficult—perhaps, impossible—to convey any faithful idea of this charming place through the medium of mere description. Natural loveliness in its higher forms can appeal to the eye alone, and admits of no adequate interpretation by the pen, and so of this delightful locality, the RESORT OF THE ARTIST AND TOURIST IN QUEST OF THE BEAUTIFUL. Little more than a faint sketch can be attempted; to actual observation must be referred the completion of the picture in all its richness of colour and detail.
Amongst the many places of interest in the district, the following may be mentioned as being most important:—
The WITCH'S LEAP, with its perpendicular cliffs on each side towering up to a height of 150 feet, and here is to be seen one of the prettiest dells of the mountains.
The ORPHAN ROCK, an immense solitary obelisk, hundreds of feet high.
The KATOOMBA FALLS, like a small pillar separated from the main cliff, over two hundred yards long, and falls on its eastern slope more than a thousand feet to a perfect forest.
GRACIE'S HILL, BIRDIE'S DELL, LADIES' ROCK, NELLIE'S GLEN, THE GAP, and THE LEURA and LURLINE FALLS are all close at hand.
The MOUNTAIN RANGES, which attain their loftiest elevation at MOUNT WILSON (3478 feet above the level of the sea), are also in the immediate vicinity, and form objects of never-failing interest and admiration, beautiful alike whether bathed in sunlight, or moody and majestic beneath the shadows of the clouds.
The mountains resembling monuments of OLD SILURIAN AGES, tower in the background; they descend in many places abruptly to the very margin of the stream, their sides luxuriantly clad in woodland foliage, and their naked summits seeming to reveal the wrinkled BROWS OF TIME itself in many a weather-worn rock and steep acclivity furrowed by the streams.
KATOOMBA is rich in mineral wealth, in fireclay, kerosene shale, iron ore, and coal, and looks forward with good reason to an industrial future.
Mr. J. B. NORTH'S WELL-KNOWN AND VALUABLE COAL MINE, situate at Katoomba Vale, has been constructed at a cost of £23,500, and now affords employment for some 70 hands, and is turning out from 500 to 800 tons of coal per week; but the machinery is capable of producing 500 tons of coal per day.
The TIMBER TRADE is represented by a Sawmill, for which there appears to be ample scope, there being an inexhaustible supply of turpentine, blue gum, ash, beech, and other timbers.
FIRE and POTTERY CLAY form part of the natural wealth of the place. A fine WHITE STONE is another element of local wealth, and for purity of colour and closeness of grain its equal does not exist in any other part of the colony.
The GREAT WESTERN HOTEL, containing 67 entertaining rooms, stands on a hill in the immediate vicinity of this estate, and forms one of the most conspicuous and imposing buildings on the mountains. This establishment will doubtless do much to open up the vast resources of the Hartley district.
There are some very nice residences here and there, upon which large sums have been expended.
It is the intention of the owner to devote the proceeds of this sale to the improvement of his mining property in the district by way of making a new and more convenient railway siding, plans of which have already been prepared and approved of by the Government.

THE TERMS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:—
Ten per cent. deposit, and the balance in eight quarterly payments extending over two years.
So sanguine is the vendor as to the prospective value of this estate, that he will on the day of sale, if so desired, covenant with any and every purchaser to repurchase each and every lot at the expiration of two years by returning the full amount of the purchase money, together with 7 per cent. per annum added.

A SPECIAL TRAIN will convey intending purchasers on the day of sale at the nominal charge of 8s return, starting from the Redfern Terminus at 8.40 a.m.

Plans, together with views, can be had on application at the Great Western Hotel, Katoomba, and of the Auctioneers, HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

CITY PROPERTY,
LOWER FORT-STREET.

BLOCK of LAND, having the following measurements:—138 feet 2 inches frontage to LOWER FORT-STREET, by a depth of 84 feet, on which are erected TWO HOUSES, Nos. 30 and 32, LOWER FORT-STREET, as occupied by Miss Watt and Mrs. Henry Fisher, stables occupied by Mr. Purcell, and vacant land.
FREEHOLD TITLE.

Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN are Vendor's Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, during month of OCTOBER, at their SALE ROOMS, in PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above-described BLOCK of CITY PROPERTY, occupying a good position in LOWER FORT-STREET.

The Auctioneers desire to call the attention of buyers of property to this sale, the instructions from the vendor being positive and absolute.
This portion of the city is steadily and surely coming to the front, and will in a short time be highly regarded as a business centre, its contiguity to the main thoroughfares, and also to the shipping, being of great advantage.
The magnificent improvements projected by the WHARF ASSOCIATION will immensely increase the value of such blocks as this.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

BY ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

KATOOMBA,
within a few minutes' walk of the Railway Station.
A HIGHLY IMPORTANT BLOCK OF LAND, situate and having the following EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES, 205 feet to BATHURST-ROAD, 283 feet along MEGALONY-ROAD, and 180 feet to BURAL-STREET, being lots 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, and 10, sec. 4, of a subdivision.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN are favoured with instructions from the MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION to sell by public auction, on the GROUND at KATOOMBA, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, September 29th, immediately after the sale of J. B. Worth's Estate,
The above described Valuable BLOCK OF LAND, suitable for the erection of a gentleman's country residence. This is really a very choice site, and commands grand panoramic views over miles of picturesque country.

HAWKESBURY RIVER RAILWAY BRIDGE.

BROOKLYN, on the HAWKESBURY.

SITUATE IMMEDIATELY FACING and WITHIN a FEW YARDS OF THE SITE WHERE THE RAILWAY BRIDGE IS TO CROSS THE HAWKESBURY RIVER.

BROOKLYN is destined to become a thriving and important commercial township.

BROOKLYN is on the SYDNEY SIDE OF THE RIVER, and offers the only available BUILDING LAND in the district.

BROOKLYN,
A most eligible and highly improving FREEHOLD BUILDING ESTATE, comprising in all about
103 WELL SELECTED ALLOTMENTS,
POSSESSING EXCELLENT FRONTAGES TO THE RAILWAY LINE, at the BRIDGE SITE, HAWKESBURY RIVER.
Immediately available for BUILDING PURPOSES, and in every way suitable for the erection of BUSINESS PREMISES, PRETTY VILLA RESIDENCES, and ARTISANS' DWELLINGS.
All the Streets are One Chain Wide.

. NOTE.—The Government has already resumed about 25 ACRES, portion of this Estate, for PUBLIC PURPOSES.

THE VIEWS OBTAINABLE FROM BROOKLYN are VARIED and INTERESTING, EXTENDING AS FAR AS THE EYE CAN REACH, COMPRISING THE PRETTY RIVER and the SURROUNDING PICTURESQUE AND BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY.

THE ATMOSPHERE IS PURE and WONDERFULLY HEALTHY.

This is truly an improving property. The contracts for the Railway from HOMEBUSH to the HAWKESBURY, and from HAWKESBURY to GOSFORD, and on again to NEWCASTLE, have all been accepted by the GOVERNMENT during the last month, and at the present time about 3000 men are at work upon the line, and the railway camp is close by this Estate. This is calculated to greatly enhance the value of this Estate, and so soon as the railway is completed buyers at this sale will be able to realise considerable profits upon their purchases.

Special opportunities will be afforded to intending purchasers to INSPECT BROOKLYN prior to the day of sale, particulars of which will appear in a future advertisement.

The TERMS will be as follows:—
One-third cash, and the balance in 6 and 12 months, at 6 per cent.
The TITLE is FREEHOLD, and PERFECT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the owners, Messrs. FAGAN BROS., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of OCTOBER,
The above-described building estate, situate at Hawkesbury, and close to the country seats of H. C. Dangar, Esq., and J. Allison, Esq.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

Lithos. are being prepared by Mr. P. M'Keon, Surveyor, 53, Elizabeth-street, and can be had shortly upon application at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street.

NORTH SHORE.

Immediate possession on completion of the purchase.

IMPORTANT and COMMANDING HOTEL PREMISES, situate and known as THE NORTH SHORE HOTEL, BLUE'S POINT-ROAD,
SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT of STONE, and containing EXCELLENT SERVING BAR, FITTED WITH TWO SPLENDID ENGINES, COUNTER, FIXTURES, &c.; TWO COMFORTABLE PARLOURS, ENTRANCE HALL, LARGE DINING and DRAWING ROOMS, SEVEN CHEERFUL BEDROOMS, GOOD KITCHEN, and WASHHOUSE, ALSO SPACIOUS DRY CELLARAGE; CONVENIENT STABLING in the rear, erected in stone, with large flagged yard; GAS is LAID on, and there is an ABUNDANT SUPPLY of FRESH WATER.
At the present time the Hotel is returning about £30 per week, but with careful management this might even be increased, while the working expenses are very small.
The LAND has 75 FEET FRONTAGE to BLUE'S POINT-ROAD by a depth along FRENCH-STREET of 112 FEET, ALSO ADJOINING a GRAND BLOCK of VACANT LAND, having 29 FEET FRONTAGE, suitable for the ERECTION OF A LARGE DWELLING-HOUSE.
TITLE FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17th.
THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED PROPERTY, KNOWN AS THE NORTH SHORE HOTEL, BLUE'S POINT-ROAD, NORTH SHORE, together with THE VACANT BLOCK OF LAND ADJOINING.

NORTH SHORE.
ST. LEONARDS PARK.
BETWEEN BERRY'S ESTATE and HOLTERMANN'S.
LANE COVE-ROAD.
18 ACRES,
TO BE SOLD IN WELL-APPOINTED LOTS.
THE PICKED POSITION ON THE SHORE.
Lithos. will issue in a few days.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND (just beyond the CROW'S NEST, on the LANE COVE-ROAD),
at 3 p.m.,
ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 20th OCTOBER.

ST. LEONARDS PARK.
The Grandest Building Sites on NORTH SHORE.
MAGNIFICENT HARBOUR SCENERY.
A perfect panorama.

TERMS—
10 per cent deposit, balance 8 quarterly payments.

In view of the PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS about to follow on the NORTH SHORE, more particularly in the way of the TRAMWAYS and the STEAM FERRIES, the auctioneers have pleasure in inviting attention to this GRAND PROPERTY, which has been carefully planned by Mr. SURVEYOR ATCHISON, C.E. Every one of the building sites has a proper back entrance. The streets and roadways are all full width, and the whole estate has been laid out with the knowledge that it will rapidly be built on. The views are very charming, and cannot be surpassed on the North Shore for beauty and panoramic effect.

NOTE THE TERMS—
10 per cent. deposit, balance by 8 quarterly payments.

Plans and full particulars in a few days.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
THE TERRACE ESTATE, RANDWICK.
32 ALLOTMENTS (to close Accounts).

. The Terrace Estate commands a grand frontage to the Belmore-road, Carr-street (along which the tramway is constructed), Dudley-street (leading to Long Bay), Stark and Nathan streets, is elevated and terraced, and commands magnificent views of the ocean and the surrounding suburbs.
PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Proprietors to sell by public auction, on the Ground, during the month of September.
The residue of the above and favourably-positioned estate.
Good villa sites at Randwick are now sought after. The sale of the Terrace Estate will give buyers a chance of securing grand sites with charming views. Each allotment has a good frontage of 40 feet to street 1 chain wide.
SPECIAL TRAM will convey intending purchasers to the ground on the day of sale free of charge.

BRICK EARTH. BRICK EARTH.

A SOUND INVESTMENT IN AN ESTABLISHED UNDERTAKING.

"THE RIPON STEAM BRICK WORKS,"
PUNCH BOWL-ROAD,
ENFIELD.

AS A GOING CONCERN, AND IN FULL WORKING ORDER.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to offer for PRIVATE TREATY, for one month only,
AN EXCEEDINGLY VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY,
known as
THE RIPON STEAM BRICK WORKS,
PUNCH BOWL-ROAD,
ENFIELD.
situate and having an extensive frontage to the MAIN ROAD, and containing in all about SIXTEEN ACRES,
upon which is erected a MANAGER'S HOUSE, substantially built of weatherboard; TWO EXCELLENT KILNS, each holding about 50,000 bricks; ONE BRICK SHAFT, 55 feet; ONE GALVANISED IRON MACHINERY SHED; also an ENGINE-HOUSE, &c.
THE COSTLY MACHINERY (which will be included in the sale) has recently been imported from England, and is constructed upon the latest and most approved principles, capable of turning out on an average 50,000 bricks per week at under 25s per 1000, and selling at from 42s to 44s at the kiln. THE CARRIAGE IS MODERATE AND THE FACILITIES OF TRANSIT CONVENIENT.
THE LAND CONTAINS AN INEXHAUSTIBLE SUPPLY OF THE FINEST POSSIBLE MATERIAL FOR THE MAKING OF ORDINARY BRICKS, DRAIN-PIPES, &c., AND IT IS BELIEVED FOR FIRE-BRICKS OF A HIGH QUALITY. THERE IS ALSO A CAPITAL BLUE METAL ON THE LAND.
THE WORKS are capable of being successfully worked without detriment to the present or ultimate utilisation of the estate, which may safely be pronounced to possess within itself elements of a most remunerative character, either by the creation of freehold ground rents, erection of houses, or by re-sale in plots and general building, which, together with the brick-making operations, must insure, by judicious employment of capital, almost illimitable returns.
It may further be mentioned that this Estate is on the proposed line of Railway from St. Peters to Liverpool.
An opportunity will be afforded to any bona-fide intending purchaser of viewing the property and inspecting the machinery while working. SAMPLES of the BRICKS and a CORRECT INVENTORY may also BE SEEN, and PRICE, with FULL PARTICULARS, OBTAINED on APPLICATION at the ROOMS of HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, PITT-STREET.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

GEORGE-STREET,
IN THE VERY CENTRE OF THE SHIPPING WORLD.

TO WOOL MERCHANTS, WAREHOUSEMEN, WHARFINGERS, MERCHANTS, INVESTORS, CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

TO BE LEASED by PUBLIC AUCTION, FOR A TERM of 21 YEARS, WITH A RIGHT TO PURCHASE the FREEHOLD WITHIN FIVE YEARS at a GIVEN SUM.

AN EXCEEDINGLY VALUABLE and HIGHLY IMPORTANT BLOCK of CITY LAND, POSSESSING THE GREAT FRONTAGE of
635 FEET 10 INCHES
to
GEORGE-STREET,
and
588 FEET 5 INCHES
to a
RESERVED ROAD
IN THE REAR,
by a depth of from 78 FEET to 130 FEET.
Divided into 19 ALLOTMENTS, each having from 29 feet to 40 feet frontage, suitable for the erection of
LARGE STORES,
or
BUSINESS PREMISES.
BOTH FRONTAGES BEING AVAILABLE for the RECEIPT or DELIVERY of GOODS.

HARDIE and GORMAN are favoured with instructions to LEASE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, early in October, in lots,
THE WHOLE OF THE
GEORGE-STREET
FRONTAGE OF THE PROPERTY, ORIGINALLY KNOWN AS
THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

IT IS RARELY THAT AN OPPORTUNITY OF SUCH A KIND IS AFFORDED TO BUYERS OF SECURING SUCH LARGE BLOCKS OF CITY LAND, AND IN SO GOOD A POSITION.

THE ATTENTION WHICH IS BEING PAID BY SHIPOWNERS, AND THE POSSIBILITY OF OTHER LARGE STEAMERS TRADING WITH THIS PORT, TOGETHER WITH THE ADVANTAGES WHICH WILL ENSUE FROM TRAM EXTENSION, AS WELL AS OF RAILWAY EXTENSION, MAKE THE PROSPECTIVE VALUE OF THIS PROPERTY VERY LARGE.
Lithographs in course of preparation.

F I J I.

RICH SUGAR LANDS and COCOANUT PLANTATION, RIVER FRONTAGE.

To be sold by public auction, to wind up a partnership account, on the 31st day of October, at Sydney, a valuable Block of LAND, situated on the Wainunu River, in the Island of VANUA LEVU, in the British colony of Fiji, containing 638 acres, and known as WAINASAU. Title, Crown grant, free from encumbrances and indefeasible. It is all GOOD FARMING LAND, no high hills, but gentle undulating tableland. It has about 1¾ mile frontage to and on the right bank of the WAINUNU RIVER, about a mile from its mouth, and averages about three-eighths of a mile back from the river. There are about 30 ACRES of COCOANUTS planted by the late proprietor, and will soon come into bearing. The whole is well adapted for this industry, the adjoining proprietor having 300 acres planted and promising well. 150 acres, including the nuts, are cleared; the remainder is heavy bush suitable for converting into sawn timber. It is well situated for a central sugar mill. A large native population in its vicinity could grow cane for the mill on their own account, and from whom plantation labourers could be obtained. The south-east trade winds are fair to and from Levuka, and the estate is about 50 miles distance therefrom. Lands in the vicinity of sugar mills have realised £10 and £20 per acre. This is a splendid chance for speculators.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street, Sydney.

The AUCTIONEERS have the deed of this estate and the plan in their possession, and will be glad to afford the fullest possible information. The property is for ABSOLUTE SALE, to close the accounts of the late firm of WINGATE and BROOKS, and the opportunity to purchase is such as but seldom offers.

CHISWICK,
ON THE RIVER.
NEXT SATURDAY.

GRAND WATERSIDE ESTATE,
CHISWICK,
ON FIVE DOCK BAY.

CHISWICK
adjoins Dr. Fortescue's elegant Residence.

CHISWICK
has the best Wharf, with the deepest Water on the PARRAMATTA RIVER.

CHISWICK,
from the Parramatta River frontages, overlooks the Brothers, the end of the Champion Rowing Course.

CHISWICK,
Besides being approached by water, has also extensive Frontages to Blackwall Point-road.

116 Lots in all
28 Lots with frontages to 66 feet wide roads and to Five Dock Bay, having depths up to 299 feet
8 Lots with frontages to 66 feet wide roads and to Parramatta River, adjoining the wharf, having depths up to 230 feet
Frontages to Blackwall Point-road
Frontages to Heslet-street
Frontages to Burns' Crescent
Frontages to Withers-street
Frontages to Libby-street
Frontages to Chiswick-street
Frontages to Riverview-street
Frontages to Fortescue-street.

All lots not less than 50 feet frontage.

WATKIN and WATKIN, instructed by the Directors of the Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society, sell on the Estate, on SATURDAY NEXT, 22nd September, at 3 p.m.,

CHISWICK.

A charming locality, commanding north-westward some of the prettiest views on the river, embracing a long stretch of the Champion Course, and looking down, so to speak, on the Brothers the end of the course, whilst north-eastward is the handsome bridge spanning the river to Gladesville, the Borough of Hunter's Hill; eastward, South Hythe, Drummoyne Park, Lyonsville, &c., &c.
In area between 40 and 50 acres, having frontages to Figtree Bay, Parramatta River to Five Dock Bay, surrounding as it were the elegant residence of Dr. Fortescue. It has been subdivided by Mr. L. A. Curtis in the vendors' usually liberal manner.

ANOTHER WATERSIDE ESTATE of similar position is not obtainable. Extensive as are the water frontages of Port Jackson and of its tributaries, yet so tenaciously are they held, and, after all, so limited are they,
VENDORS CANNOT MAKE WATER FRONTAGES AS THEY DO ROAD FRONTAGES,
that the auctioneers assert that there are not in the whole real estate market for sale within the same distance from town as long a stretch of water frontage as are in Chiswick.

To Gentlemen of Aquatic Tastes,
To the lover of those charming views which only the Parramatta affords,
CHISWICK offers another, and it may be the last, opportunity to secure all their fancy can hope for or expect.

The vendors, whilst offering these choice building sites on their usually liberal terms (see at foot), and whilst willing and able still further to place a home within the reach of such as desire it by advancing liberally to build, yet place such necessary building restrictions as will conserve the character of the neighbourhood.

The great evil of our suburbs, notwithstanding the beneficial influence of the Width of Roads and Lanes Act, is the crowding of dwellings on to insufficient areas, a loss, as a rule, financially to the builder; a loss in health to the occupant, which cannot be measured by £. s., and d.

In Chiswick the stipulation is made that on certain sections
ONLY ONE HOUSE SHALL BE BUILT
on ONE ALLOTMENT,
and that
NO MAIN BUILDING SHALL BE OTHER THAN STONE OR BRICK,
and a minimum value is fixed.

These conditions should not debar those who, not intending to build, desire a safe and profitable investment, as the buyer is not compelled to build, and it must be evident to all that the value of vacant land is enhanced or deteriorated by the character of its surroundings.

The vendors have, at considerable expense, erected a wharf, at which the Parramatta steamers call. An increase in the number of residents on the Parramatta will give increased facilities for transit. Season tickets are issued at low rates.

THE TITLE OF CHISWICK
is under
THE REAL PROPERTY ACT—TORRENS' ACT.
THE TERMS ARE—
6¼ per cent. deposit, balance by minimum fortnightly repayments of 10s 10d per £100, with interest 7 per cent.
LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO CASH PURCHASERS.

ASSISTANCE TO BUILD
to the extent of 93¾ per cent. of the value of buildings, repayable by same
EASY FORTNIGHTLY PAYMENTS
of 10s 10d per £100 minimum,
so that a buyer could purchase, say, £200 of land and build thereon a residence, say, of £500, by finding £45 10s cash and paying thereafter a minimum of £3 15s 10d per fortnight.

PLANS and all necessary particulars may be had at Vendor's Offices, 313, Pitt-street; or at those of the Auctioneers, 281, Pitt-street.

THE SALE is NEXT SATURDAY.

SALE OF THE ANDERSON TRAINING HOME,
MIDDLE HARBOUR.

THE ANDERSON TRAINING HOME,
MIDDLE HARBOUR.

FOR POSITIVE AND UNRESERVED SALE.

SPLENDID opportunity to VIEW this CELEBRATED INSTITUTION.

To be sold by order of Mr. Anderson and the Trustees.

WITHERS, CALLAGHAN, and BROWN have received instructions to sell by public auction, on SATURDAY, 22nd September, at 3 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND,
MIDDLE HARBOUR,
The whole of the MATERIAL IN THE BUILDINGS, which are CONSTRUCTED of the very best timber, and erected for the Training Home, consisting, first, of the home, which contains 10 rooms—size, 10 feet x 12 up to 32 x 12; stables, workshops, and outbuildings, together with band saw and horse-power machine; horses, carts, ploughs, tanks, and a large quantity of household furniture.
Also,
A large variety of pot plants of very rare description.

ON THE GROUND,
MIDDLE HARBOUR,
SATURDAY, September 22nd, at 3 o'clock.

Free 'Buses from Milson's Point at 2 p.m.
The Public are invited to inspect the property previous to day of sale.
WITHERS, CALLAGHAN, and BROWN, Auctioneers, 184, Pitt-street.

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

IMPORTANT PROPERTY SALE
AT THE SYDNEY AUCTION MART,
at 11.30.

ORDER OF SALE.

NORTH SHORE, Lavender Bay. Charming Residential Property known as The Terraces, with gardens and grounds of nearly an acre, with valuable water frontage.

WOOLLAHRA, Ocean-street. Detached Residence known as Como, 66 feet frontage, 200 feet depth, with stable and coachhouse, yard and garden.

PETERSHAM, Norton-street. A Valuable Allotment at the corner of Norton-street, Leichhardt, and Marion street, 129 feet 9 inches by 123 feet.

LANE COVE, Parish of Gordon. Attractive Block of Land embracing an area of 6 acres 1 rood 12 perches, well placed near the Great Northern Railway.

WAVERLEY, Lawson Estate No. 1. Lot 4, on this subdivision, 55 feet 3 inches frontage to Henrietta-street, depth 88 feet.

CROYDON, Queen-street. 4-roomed Rustic Board Cottage, standing on land 50 x 100, and a corner site 53 feet 6 inches to Queen-street, by 100 feet to Robinson-street.

Robinson-street. Block of Land, 62 feet frontage by 104 feet depth.

NEWTOWN. Rosewarne Estate. Plot of Land, 30 feet frontage to Commodore-street by 90 feet depth, being lot 37.

PETERSHAM, Torrens' Act Estate. For sale at the risk of former purchasers:—Lots 13, 14, 15 on this subdivision; two fronting Maddock-street and one fronting Constitution-road.

MOORE PARK, Cook-street. Valuable Allotment near the tramway, frontage 18 feet, depth 50 feet.

PARRAMATTA PARK, Westmead Estate. Lots 10 and 29, of section 1, and lots 28, 29, and 30, of section 2, fronting Caroline-street and Government-road.

Further details of the auctioneers.
MILLS and PILE, 130, Pitt-street.

THURSDAY next, SEPTEMBER 20.

FIRST-CLASS BLOCK OF LAND.

LANE COVE, IN THE PARISH OF GORDON, 6 ACRES 1 ROOD 12 PERCHES IN AREA.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, on THURSDAY next, September 20, at 11.30, All that
VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND,
SITUATE AT LANE COVE,
IN THE PARISH OF GORDON,
EMBRACING AN AREA of 6a. 1r. 12p.
well placed, close to Waterhouse's Hotel and the Public School,
AND PASSED WITHIN A FEW YARDS BY THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY LINE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

NORTH SHORE.

AT THE SYDNEY AUCTION MART, at 11.30.

ALL THAT CHOICE PROPERTY,
THE TERRACES,
LAVENDER BAY, NORTH SHORE.

CHARMING COTTAGE
and
BLOCK OF LAND,
nearly an acre,
overlooking
LAVENDER BAY,
and close to
M'MAHON'S POINT.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, September 20, at 11.30,
THAT CHARMING PROPERTY,
known as THE TERRACES, situate as above, having a frontage of 126 feet to East Crescent-street, and 118 feet to Lavender Bay, by a depth of 281 and 246 feet, and embracing an
AREA of 3 ROODS 13 PERCHES.

On the land is built a brick house on stone foundations, containing drawing-room dining-room, 6 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, dressing-room, and every convenience for a gentleman's family.

THE GROUNDS ARE BEAUTIFULLY LAID OUT in terraces, and planted with choice trees and shrubs.

The terms will be very liberal.

There is ample room to build two more houses on the water frontage.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers,
MILLS and PILE.

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

WOOLLAHRA.

Detached RESIDENCE in OCEAN-STREET, close to the Tram Terminus, having a
FRONTAGE of 66 feet to OCEAN-STREET,
by a
depth of 200 feet to a lane in the rear.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, on
THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20, at 11.30,
the compact Family Residence,
COMO,
Ocean-street, Woollahra,
Containing wide hall, dining-room 17 x 15, drawing-room 16 x 15, 2 bedrooms 17 x 15 and 16 x 15, and pantry on the ground floor, 2 bedrooms 20 x 15 and 16 x 15 upstairs, with linen closet, bathroom, domestic offices and servants' rooms.

2-stall STABLE and COACHHOUSE,
large yard,
garden at front and side,
VERANDAH and CONSERVATORY.

TITLE—Woollahra 99 years' leasehold (72 years to run); ground rent of £10 per annum.

TERMS, AT SALE

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

PETERSHAM.

TORRENS' ACT ESTATE.

FOR SALE AT THE RISK OF FORMER PURCHASERS.

LOTS 13, 14, 15.

Lot 13, with 40 feet frontage to Maddock-street, by a depth of 131 feet 10 inches.

Lot 14, a Corner Allotment, with a frontage of 37 feet 3 inches to Maddock-street, by a depth or return frontage of 131 feet 10 inches to Jones-street.

Lot 15, a second Corner Site, with a frontage of 33 feet 9 inches to Constitution-road, by a depth or return frontage of 131 feet 10 inches to Jones-street.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, on THURSDAY NEXT, 20th instant, at 11.30, The above
3 VERY VALUABLE ALLOTMENTS,
in this favourite subdivision.

Plan at the Rooms.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

COTTAGE and 2 BLOCKS of LAND, CROYDON
BLOCK of LAND, NEWTOWN,
comprising a
4-roomed rustic Board COTTAGE, on brick foundations, with hall, kitchen and washhouse, 3 verandahs, larder, and tanks, standing on land having
a frontage of 50 feet to Queen-street
by a depth of 100 feet.
Also,
A valuable Corner Block of LAND, having a frontage of 53 feet 6 inches to Queen-street by a depth of 100 feet to Robinson-street,
and
A Block of LAND with 62 feet frontage to Robinson-street by a depth of 104 feet (29 feet wide in the rear).
Also, at Newtown,
A Plot of GROUND on the Rosewarne Estate, having 30 feet frontage to Commodore-street by a depth of 90 feet, being lot 37 in this subdivision.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, on THURSDAY next, September 20, at 11.30, The above
ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 20.

PETERSHAM.

VALUABLE ALLOTMENT of LAND, at the CORNER
of
NORTON-STREET, LEICHHARDT,
and
MARION-STREET,
immediately opposite the Public School and All Souls' Church.
129 FEET 9 INCHES FRONTAGE to NORTON-STREET,
123 FEET SIDE FRONTAGE to MARION-STREET.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, September 20, at 11.30,
The above
ELIGIBLE BUILDING SITE,
ALL FENCED IN.

TORRENS' TITLE.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27.

By order of the Trustee in the Estate of W. M'Namara.

AT THE MART, 130, PITT-STREET.

CORNER BLOCK OF CITY PROPERTY,
BUCKINGHAM and BEDFORD STREETS,
near the Old Exhibition.

No. 50, BEDFORD-STREET
(the ALBION HOTEL).

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, in the Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, September 27, at 11.30,
THE VALUABLE CITY PROPERTIES
known as
THE ALBION HOTEL,
situate at the
CORNER of BUCKINGHAM and BEDFORD STREETS,
built of brick on stone foundations, containing bar, 4 sitting rooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, and various offices, and now let on lease at £3 3s per week.

Terms, £700 cash, and the balance can remain on mortgage up to 5 years at 6 per cent. INTEREST.
Particulars of Title of
Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN,
Solicitors Elizabeth-street.

PARRAMATTA DOMAIN.

NEAR THE PARK,
AND CLOSE TO THE
NEW WESTMEAD PLATFORM.

CHOICE VILLA RESIDENCE
and
7 ACRES OF IMPROVED GROUNDS.

Surrounded by Good Streets on three sides.

Preliminary Notice.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Executors of the late Mr. Edward Holdsworth to sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4,
at 11.30 prompt,
A CHOICE SUBURBAN VILLA AND GROUNDS, CLOSE TO THE PARRAMATTA PARK.

The land contains 7 acres 16 perches, and is all improved, and laid out in orchard.

The cottage is erected of weatherboard, and contains 4 rooms with detached kitchen part brick, storeroom and bathroom.

WATER SUPPLY GOOD.

At the east end of the land is a gardener's cottage of 4 rooms. The outbuildings comprise stables and coachhouse.

To parties on the lookout for a pretty suburban retreat, easy of access and surrounded by cheerful scenery, this sale offers a good opportunity.

A sale plan is on view at the Rooms.

Title particulars can be obtained from
Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, Solicitors, Pitt-street.

Terms at sale.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13.

GRANVILLE.

ELIZABETH FARM ESTATE.

THE GRANVILLE PORTION,

270 ALLOTMENTS,
including 1000 FEET MAIN ROAD FRONTAGE, opposite the Railway Station,

The MAIN BUSINESS STREET of the future city.

THE ONLY MAIN ROAD FRONTAGE of any extent to be submitted to public auction, and over half a mile WATER FRONTAGE on tidal water.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by S. A. Stephen, Esq., to sell by auction on the Ground, on SATURDAY, October 13, at 3 o'clock,
The most valuable of the whole Elizabeth Farm Estate, comprising 70 acres, being the Granville portion of the estate, commencing opposite to the station on the Sydney-road, subdivided into 270 allotments.

Plans can be obtained at the Rooms.

TORRENS' TITLE.
Terms: LARGE CREDIT at ONLY 5 per cent.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 29th September.

GRANVILLE EAST,
close to
DUCK CREEK BRIDGE,
on the Main Sydney-road,
being the Western Boundary of
DARCY PARK ESTATE,
immediately opposite the
CLYDE RAILWAY PLATFORM
(Hudson Bros. Company's Works),
and not 10 minutes' walk from the
GRANVILLE RAILWAY STATION.

45 EXCELLENT ALLOTMENTS OF LAND.

JOHN TAYLOR has received instructions to sell by public auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 29th September, at half-past 3 o'clock sharp,
45 truly valuable building allotments, situate as above described, and in the centre of the fastest improving portion of Granville.
The allotments have frontages from 40 to 50 feet to wide streets, and the main Sydney-road, the depths of the allotments extend to 150 feet.

N.B.—POSITIVE CLEARANCE SALE. Liberal terms.

Plans and particulars at the Salerooms.

SALE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 29th September, at 3.30 o'clock, on the GROUND.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON,
29th September.

DARCY PARK, GRANVILLE.

TWO 2-STORY (NEW) HOUSES.

WELL-SITUATED PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

POSITION—CONVENIENT AND HEALTHY.

JOHN TAYLOR has been instructed to dispose of by public auction, at Darcy Park, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 29th September, at half-past 3 o'clock (or immediately after the sale of the 45 allotments of land at Darcy Park on same date),
Those two new two-story brick-built houses, with balconies and verandahs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c., large underground tank, and outbuildings.

The situation is on the east side of Kendall-street, Darcy Park, and within a short distance from the Clyde (Hudson Brothers and Company's Works) Railway platform, and not 10 minutes' walk from the Granville Railway station.

TITLE GOOD. TERMS EASY.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 3rd OCTOBER.

Positive Auction Sale at
GRANVILLE,
Brightside Subdivision.

28 VALUABLE ALLOTMENTS,
situate on the north side of
the Granville Railway Station,
with frontages to the Main Sydney-road.

The most commanding positions for Business Sites at Granville,
and within 5 minutes' walk from the railway station.

JOHN TAYLOR has been instructed to sell by public auction, on the ground, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 3rd October, at half-past 3 o'clock,
28 really choice positions and valuable allotments of land, situate on the north side of the main Sydney-road, and directly opposite the Granville railway station. Frontages from 40 feet to 66 feet by 125 feet deep. A corner allotment with a frontage to the Sydney-road of 112 feet, and to Macarthur-street of 125 feet which last-named street is in a direct line to the Granville railway station.

N.B.—The attendance of persons desirous of securing a prominent and centrally-situated allotment of land at Granville are requested to inspect the above allotments, which adjoin Brightside House.

Terms, liberal. Title unquestionable.

Preliminary Notice.

MOUNTAIN HOMES.

MOUNTAIN LANDS.

Great Western Railway Line,
contiguous to the Railway Station.

WENTWORTH FALLS, WEATHERBOARD.

OVER 500 ACRES.

To be Subdivided into Blocks of
5 ACRES and upwards.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT AN EARLY DATE.

THE SUBDIVISION will be so arranged as to afford easy access to wide roads leading to the Railway Station, and give a beautiful position for each lot, and with the grandeur of the scenery, and the salubrity of their respective situations, comment would be superfluous in their praise.

JOHN TAYLOR has been favoured with instructions to dispose of the above lands by public auction, immediately after the survey and subdivision now being made is completed.

THE PROPRIETORS of the lands adjoining the above (for sale) are H. C. Dangar, Esq., John M'Laughlin, Esq., M.L.A., J. W. Little, Esq. (Messrs. Richardson and Wrench), and numerous other leading citizens of Sydney.

Due notice of sale will be given.
Further particulars at the Land Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MR. JAMES DEVITT.

BOTANY.

LOT 1.—On the Botany-road, Captain Cook's Inn, comprising 12 rooms, outhouses, &c. The land has a frontage to Botany-road of 65 feet by a depth of 126 feet
LOT 2.—Bay-street, 2 Blocks of Land, each of 66 feet frontage to Bay street by 165 feet of depth, and 109 from the Botany parish road.

P. M. SERS and CO., of 229, George-street North, Sydney, have received instructions from the executors in the estate of the late Mr. James Devitt to sell by public auction, on the ground, SATURDAY, 22nd September, at 3 p.m.,
The above-described valuable freehold properties.

Solicitors to the estate, Slattery and Heydon.

Title, Torrens'.

These valuable properties are for absolute sale, in execution of the will of the late Mr. James Devitt.
Full particulars at the rooms.

OLD BUILDING MATERIAL.

Jamison-lane, off Jamison-street.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on the premises, TO-MORROW, Thursday, September 20, at 11.30,
Building materials, consisting of bricks, stone, timber, slates, paving stones, &c.
To be removed by Tuesday next.
No reserve. Terms, cash.

Five Allotments of Land.

PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CAMPERDOWN.

To Tradespeople, Shopkeepers, Builders, and Others.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, on the ground, on MONDAY, September 24, at 4 o'clock.
Five allotments of land, each having a frontage of 21 feet to Parramatta-road by a depth of about 103 feet to a lane 16 feet wide.
Situate immediately opposite the intersection of the Pyrmont Bridge-road with the Parramatta-road.

Torrens' Title. Terms at sale.

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HALLEY HENDERSON are invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved DAUGHTER, Ethel; to move from 2, Wyesla-terrace, Olive-street, Paddington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, quarter before 2, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Necropolis. WALTER STEWART, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN FYFE, Sen., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased GRANDDAUGHTER, Ethel May Henderson; to move from the residence of her parents, 2, Wyesal-terrace, Olive-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, for the Necropolis.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. GEORGE BAIRD SHAW are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 60, Louisa-terrace, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW (Thursday) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, to the Congregational Cemetery, Necropolis. P. KIRBY, Undertaker, 66 and 64, Hunter-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. FRANCIS FUCHS are respectfully invited to follow his remains from George-street, Macdonaldtown, on THURSDAY, 10 o'clock.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. DUNCAN M'GREGOR are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE Sarah, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON; to move from his residence, No. 24, Swan-street, off George-street, at 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis. T. DIXON, Undertaker, No. 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of EDWIN PLUNKETT BISHOP, Department of Mines, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE; to move from his residence, Hill-street, Newtown, at half-past 8, THURSDAY, September 20, to the Newtown Station, thence to the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. F. J. KENSETT, of Pitt-street, Redfern, are invited to attend the Funeral of his youngest DAUGHTER, Mrs. E. P. Bishop; to move from her late residence, Hill-street, Newtown, at half-past 8, TO-MORROW, Thursday, 20th, to the Newtown Station, thence to the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers.

Religious Announcements.

MRS. HAMPSON'S MISSION.

EXHIBITION BUILDING,
THIS EVENING,
at 7.30.
EVANGELISTIC SERVICE,
conducted by
Mrs. HAMPSON.

MEETING for PRAISE and PRAYER, at the Protestant Hall, THIS DAY, from 1 to 2 p.m.
Mrs. HAMPSON will address.
Workers meet at the Exhibition Building at 6 p.m., THIS EVENING. Doors open at 6.30 p.m.
N.B.—EXCURSION FARES for all trains from Parramatta and intermediate stations, after 4 p.m., from 17th to 22nd September.
T. B. TRESS } Hon.
D. WALKER } Secs.

SANKEY'S HYMNS may be had at the doors.

MRS. HAMPSON'S MISSION.

CONTRIBUTIONS in aid of the Expenses of the Mission will be thankfully received by the Hon. Treasurer (E. Vickery, Esq.), or the undersigned, at the Rooms of the Y. M. C. A.
T. B. TRESS } Hon.
D. WALKER } Secs.

MRS. HAMPSON'S MISSION.

A MEETING of WOMEN will be held in the Protestant Hall, on THURSDAY (To-morrow) AFTERNOON NEXT, at 3 o'clock.
Mrs. HAMPSON will address.

THE LATE ARCHBISHOP VAUGHAN.

The Month's Memory of the late Archbishop of Sydney will be solemnly commemorated in St. Mary's Cathedral, on THURSDAY next, 20th instant, at half-past 10 o'clock a.m.
Right Rev. Dr. REDWOOD, Bishop of Wellington, N.Z., will preach the Panegyric.
The gates will be thrown open at half-past 9 o'clock.
P. J. MAHONY, Dean.

LADIES' United Evangelistic Association.—Meeting, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 3 p.m., at the Temperance Hall. Strangers invited. Friends are requested kindly to remember the Railway Flower Basket on MONDAYS.

MR. G. E. ARDILL having been carrying on services almost every evening during the past 9 months in connection with the Blue Ribbon Army, has now decided to relinquish business and devote his energies entirely to the work of the Blue Ribbon Gospel Army. Meetings are held every evening at North Shore and Marrickville, and also in various halls in the city. The Academy of Music is crowded every Sunday evening, and the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, is filled every Wednesday evening with attentive audiences. Large numbers of persons have been induced to sign the pledge and don the blue. Hundreds have professed to trust Christ as their Saviour. We are about to open a Home of Hope for Friendless and Fallen Women. During the past month several have been rescued from lives of sin and intemperance and are living in respectable situations. DONATIONS will be gladly received towards carrying on this work. Acknowledgments by printed receipts and the Blue Ribbon Gazette.
Address—The Vice-presidents, Blue Ribbon Gospel Army, 631, Bourke-street, Surry Hills; or, 277, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Business Announcements.

MR. JOHN STEVENSON has been admitted as a PARTNER in our Firm.
B. D. MOREHEAD and CO.
Brisbane, July 2, 1883.

DR. CALLAGHAN has removed to 173, Liverpool-street, Hyde Park.

MITCHELL and CO. REMOVED to Macquarie-place.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
DIXSON AND SONS.
On and after THIS DAY, Thursday, 13th instant, our Business will be conducted at our New Premises, corner of Park and Elizabeth streets.
DIXSON and SONS,
Tobacco Manufacturers.

H. S. BIRD and CO. Removed from Pitt-street, Circular Quay, to Macquarie-place.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price, only at M. A. HUGHES and CO.'S, 580, George-street.

GAS STOVE "Victory" versus English Stoves, tile lined. See To-day's Public Notices. Raleigh, 258, Elizabeth-st.

HORDERNS, on the Brickfield-hill, are energetic and pushing young fellows. Patronise them.

Servants Wanted.

A COMPETENT COOK wanted, at once. 39, Phillip-street.

ACTIVE GIRL, assist general work; no washing. Apply before 1, Pearl House, 413, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

A GENERAL SERVANT wanted; reference. Apply 659, George-street, Haymarket.

A GENERAL SERVANT or WORKING HOUSEKEEPER wanted; no family. 87, William-street.

A GENERAL SERVANT wanted, with reference; open 3 days. 141, Phillip-street, near King-street.

A GOOD HOUSEMAID wanted. 11, Cowper-terrace, Church-hill.

ALL Classes SERVANTS wanted, housemaids, cooks, &c. Miss Hall, Home, 160, Elizabeth-street, Hyde Park.

AN Experienced General SERVANT required, family 2; good wages; Prot. Tunbridge Villa, Queen-st., Wool'ra.

A RESPECTABLE young Girl, as HOUSEMAID and to attend to children; refs. Mrs. R. Schuette, 16, College-st.

A RESPECTABLE GIRL, about 16, wanted. Apply with refs., 82, Upper William-street North.

A RESPECTABLE BOY wanted, for office. Apply Box 742, G. P. O.

A RESPECTABLE young WOMAN for 2 children and light housework. 209½, Victoria-street N., Darlinghurst.

A YOUNG GIRL for general housework wanted. Mrs. Newell, registry office, Oxford-street, Paddington.

AN INTELLIGENT respectable young Man wanted as CARTER, ASSISTANT, STOREMAN, and generally useful. Apply with references to Merchant, Herald Office.

BOY wanted for Plumber. W. M'Carthy, 26, Jamison-street.

BOY wanted. Apply to Allan, shipwright, bottom Union-street, Balmain.

BOY.—Wanted, respectable LAD, errands. 60, Wynyard-square.

BOYS wanted, at Walter Akhurst and Co.'s Printing Works, Kent-street, near Erskine-street.

BOYS, milk, useful; Cooks and Laundresses, House and Parlour M., Nurses, Needlewomen, &c. 116, Bathurst-st.

BUTLER.—A thorough indoor Servant required for a gentleman's house. Apply on Wednesday, between 11 and 12, to Mr. Lawrence, No. 3 Jetty, Circular Quay.

COMPETENT female Servants and useful Girls wanted for all parts, country and town. The Home, Market-street.

COMPETENT General SERVANT, two in family. Mrs. H. Thorne, Macleay Heights, Potts Point.

COOK and Laundress wanted; also, House and Parlour Maid, same house, for hotel agency. 8, Bridge-street.

COOK wanted, young Woman preferred. Apply Edgecliffe, Ocean-street, in the forenoon of Wednesday or Thursday.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.—Various Openings offering. Commercial Agency, 65, Pitt-street, upstairs, 2nd floor.

EMPLOYMENT Agency.—Station Hands, Sawmill Labourers, Fencers, &c., wanted. Com. Agency, 65, Pitt-st.

FIRST-CLASS General SERVANT wanted; good wages. Apply between 11 and 1, Wednesday, Mrs. Finlayson, York-terrace, Pyrmont Bridge-road.

GROOM and Coachman, knowing town and suburbs. Tattersall's, Hunter and Castlereagh streets.

HOUSEMAID wanted. 8, Brunswick-terrace, Rock-wall-street, Potts Point.

LAUNDRESS wanted. Mrs. Garran, Strathmore, Glebe Point.

MAN wanted, to drive a tip-cart. Apply J. Fitzgerald, 2, Avondale-terrace, Hargrave-street, Paddington.

MARRIED COUPLE wanted, thorough coachman and first-class cook. Larbert, 55, Macleay-street.

MESSAGE BOY wanted. A. Finlayson and Co., 14, York-street.

MEN, Boys, and M. Couples wanted for various jobs; new Arrivals, for stations, &c. 83, Market-street.

MARRIED COUPLE.—Man, cook and useful; wife, housemaid; for Boarding-school; £75. Mr. H. G. Rienits, Mount Victoria.

REV. MERVYN ARCHDALL, St. Mary's Parsonage, Balmain, wishes to find EMPLOYMENT for a respectable young man. Particulars on application.

REQUIRED, a respectable young Woman, as General SERVANT, for a family of 3; not any washing; liberal wages to a competent person. Apply to Miss Burnside, Gilderoy, Victoria-street N., Darlinghurst.

STEWARDESS wanted. S.S. Allowrie, I. S. N. Company's Wharf, at once.

USEFUL GIRL wanted; no washing. 135, Bathurst-street East.

WANTED, good General SERVANT; good wages. Miss Johnson, Ashley: Stanmore platform.

WANTED, a WAITRESS. 31, York-street.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, about 15. Mrs. J. Morrison, Garden-st., Marrickville, close Illawarra line.

WANTED, strong WOMAN, housework and wash bedclothes. Dunn's New York Hotel, Lower George-st.

WANTED, a competent General SERVANT; good wages. Apply, with references, 450, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS; also Housemaid. Apply Mrs. Broughton, Glenmore-road.

WANTED, a respectable BOY, for a bottle [illegible]. Apply J. Cole and Son, 34, Shepherd-street, Darlington.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Mrs. Partridge, 685, Harris-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, smart WAITER, good wages. Dunn's New York Hotel, Lower George-street.

WANTED, Man COOK, used to sixpenny restaurant. Dunn's New York Hotel, Lower George-street.

WANTED, on Wednesday, two active and experienced WAITERS. Apply early, Diner de Paris, 352, George-st.

WANTED, respectable small BOY, for office. R. Harnett, jun., and Co., 19, Macquarie-place.

WANTED, a COOK and LAUNDRESS; good references. Apply 36, Sutherland House, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, NURSE and Needlewoman. Apply between 1 and 2 o'clock, to 39, Phillip-street North.

WANTED, a tidy young Girl as General SERVANT. Cross Keys Hotel, Lower Campbell-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, BOY, about 15, for fish and oyster business. 22, Hunter-street.

WANTED, an educated young Woman, as BARMAID, out of city. Apply Metropolitan Hotel, George-st.

WANTED, a smart young Woman, as WAITRESS, 1 1 Manly. Mr. Harris, Metropolitan Hotel, George-st.

WANTED, a smart Girl as NURSE for 2 little boys. Wollstone, 7, Darlinghurst-road.

WANTED, good Working HOUSEKEEPER; also Cook and Laundress. Miss Fowler, 215, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, assist bar; another kept. London Tavern, Albion and Elizabeth sts.

WANTED, Cooks, Housemaids, G. Servants, 14s; Nurses, 14s. Royal Arcade Registry, 75, Royal Arcade.

WANTED, two GIRLS to make up smallgoods and label. S. F. Hagg and Co., 12, Wynyard-lane.

WANTED, a respectable BOY. W. Howes, 141, George-street, opposite Queen's Wharf.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, no washing; wages 12s. Apply Gas Hotel, Kent-street.

WANTED, a LAD, used to butchering; good wages. Apply at once. P. Kiesberg, butcher, King-st., Newtown.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. H. R. Montgomery, grocer, Missenden-rd., Camperdown.

WANTED, a BOY. Hebblewhite and Co., 416, George-street.

WANTED, a first-class COOK (man), good wages. Apply A. G., Herald Office.

WANTED, a WASHERWOMAN, by the day. Apply 283, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a respectable Youth, as GROOM. Apply J. Rodd, Ashfield Station.

WANTED, a BOY, for traveller. Apply Charles Aaron, 61, Druitt-street.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, as General Servant; 3 in family. Apply 58, Bridge-street, 10 o'clock.

WANTED, 2 smart Kitchenmen; also, Midday Waiter. Apply 202, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a competent COOK and Laundress, washing very light; references. 1, Richmond-terrace, Domain.

WANTED, useful GIRL, sleep at home. 35, Brisbane-street.

WANTED, a steady sober Man, as RUNNER. Apply Lester's Queensland Hotel, Erskine-street.

WANTED, a single MAN, to drive a horse and cart. James White, Bulianaming-street, Redfern.

WANTED, young Girl as General SERVANT, one that can wash and iron. Apply 148, Princes-street.

WANTED, Girl, as General SERVANT, small family. J. Poulton, stationer, 134, King-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD, about 16 or 17, to make himself generally useful. Apply 95, Quarry-st., Ultimo.

WANTED, good General SERVANT; no children. Apply 146, Underwood-st., off Elizabeth-st., Paddington.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 190, Oxford-street, Paddington.

WANTED, at once, smart BOY. Apply by letter, Greeley Lukin and Co., 289, George-street.

WANTED, good General SERVANT; 14s per week. 55, Swiss-terrace, Brisbane-street.

WANTED, young Girl, as General SERVANT. 155, Gordon-terrace, Redfern-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a first-class WAITRESS for restaurant. 687, George-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, a competent MAN to cut firewood, circular saw. Farrell's Coalyard, Woolloomooloo Bay.

WANTED, Bricklayers' LABOURERS. Apply S. Elliott, Windsor-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL. 4, Sherwood-terrace, Begg-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply 207, Brougham-terrace, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, for country sawmill, three MEN, used to the work. Apply 11, Church-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a good, useful GIRL, 16, for small family. 321, Bourke-street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT; references. 85, William-street.

WANTED, young Woman, as House and Parlour MAID. Mrs. John Williams, 14, William-street East.

WANTED, CHAINMEN. Apply Mr. Martin, Railway Survey Department, over Mutual Provident Society.

WANTED, General SERVANT. Mrs. P. C. Williams, Hereford-street, Forest Lodge.

WANTED, a GIRL, for housework. Apply Mrs. Keogh, grocer, Darlington.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL. Mrs. A. Emanuel, 67, Fitzroy-street, near Moore Park.

WANTED, a YOUTH. G. Bryant, butcher, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, General SERVANT, in small family, no children. Apply 236, Forbes-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, GIRL to assist in housework and help children. 404, Cleveland-st., btwn. Bourke and Crown sts.

WANTED, House and Parlour MAID. Apply, with ref., Mrs. A. Forsyth, Manila House, Bourke-street, S. H.

WANTED, a smart LAD. J. Skinner, plumber and gasfitter, 134, George-street West.

WANTED, a General SERVANT; highest wages given. M'Lyons, 127, Oxford-street.

WANTED, female Cook, country hotel, 25s; female Cook, station, 20s. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, 40 new arrivals, for station hands; Farming Men, Plantation Labourer. Glue's, 44, Hunter-st.

WANTED, for suburban College, active young person, as Second Laundress. Glue's Agency, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a BOY. Stow, cabinetmaker, 28, Cornwallis-street, Redfern.

WANTED, good Restaurant COOK; also, little Girl. City Dining Rooms, 162, George-st. North, Circular Quay.

WANTED, a smart active BOY. Apply J. T. Peate, Market-buildings.

WANTED, respectable BOYS. Tebbutt's Factory, 48, Riley-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, DRAYMEN, used to handle timber; M. men pref. D. M. Isaac and Co., Cowper W'f., Woo'loo.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. Mrs. E. C. Barker, Claraville, Liberty-st., S. Kingston.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, to mind a baby. Apply Mrs. Dounons, Swan-street, off George-street.

WANTED, a MAN, to assist in milking and deliver. Apply B. Quinton, 78, Morehead-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Governor Bourke Hotel, Market-street.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, one used to wait at table. Blair's Hotel, Kent and Margaret streets; after 10.

WANTED, COOK and Laundress. Mrs. Punch, Walker-street, Lavender Bay, top of steps.

WANTED, a GARDENER, single man, for the country. Apply to Mr. Hill, Bent-street.

WANTED, a strong GIRL for housework; sleep at home; two in family. 178, Riley-street.

WETNURSE wanted. Apply Dr. Cox, 73, Hunter-street.

WANTED, COOK and Laundress; also, House and Parlour MAID. 88, Lower Fort-street.

WANTED, Man Cook and Waitress (female). Haymarket Hotel, Campbell-street, 9 to 5 o'clock.

WANTED, a strong Boy as PORTER and be useful. Apply 7, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a smart BOY, to mind baker's shop. George Jefferis, baker, George-street West.

WANTED, a LABOURER. Apply Mr. Beaumont, Marrickville, before 7 a.m., or after 5 p.m.

WANTED, a tidy little GIRL, to do light housework, and sleep at home. 212, May-ter., Bourke-st., W'mloo.

WANTED, respectable young Girl, as Gen. Servant, small family; refs. required. 261, Crown-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, a strong LAD, to milk and be useful. W. Toohey, Bourke-street, Waterloo.

WANTED, a MAN to drive a cab. Apply 40, George-street West.

WANTED, respectable young GIRL, to mind shop. Apply, after 10 a.m., 671, George-street.

WANTED, BOY, generally useful, look after horse and buggy. Lee, Ivy Lodge, Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, for country. Apply 154, Harris-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, young Person, as Barmaid, private bar; H. M., assist bar; Waitresses, Nurses. The Home, Market-st.

WANTED, a young girl as SERVANT. Apply 147, Woolloomooloo-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a useful GIRL to assist in housework. 105, Fitzroy-street, near Moore Park.

WANTED, a Boy as FEEDER to a Wharfedale machine; good wages. J. L. Holmes and Co., 315, Pitt-st.

WANTED, Head WAITER. Metropolitan Hotel, King and Castlereagh streets.

WANTED, a first-class WAITER; references required. Apply Nissen's Café, 414, George-street.

WANTED, a MAN; must be used to market gardening. Adam Redpath, Five Dock.

WANTED, a respectable BOY, for store. J. Hunter, 57, York-street.

WANTED, MAN, to work in garden. Wm. Short, Baltic Wharf, Market-street.

WANTED, a thorough good General SERVANT. Brougham-terrace, 207, Victoria-street, off William-st.

WANTED, BOYS, to deliver the Herald. W. B. Lee, 405, George-street, opposite Royal Hotel.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, 14, to be useful. Mrs. F. Scott, 79, Albion-street, S. H.

WANTED, a respectable girl or middle-aged woman as General SERVANT; refs. 115, Albion-street, S. H.

WANTED, a thorough House and Parlour MAID; assistance given. Apply Berryfield, Potts Point.

WANTED, a young GIRL, for housework. Punch's Hotel, William-street.

WANTED, tidy GIRL, wait on table, assist light housework. 169, Forbes-st., Little's-ter., Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, honest young MAN, for bread cart; reference required. J. Dingle, Oxford-street, Paddington.

WANTED, 2 smart respectable WAITRESSES, good wages. Royal Arcade Dining Rooms, 222, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a Bricklayer's LABOURER. Apply 9 o'clock, Kent and Erskine streets.

WANTED, General SERVANT; small family; good wages. 17, Aston-terrace, Collins-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, smart LAD, to make himself useful. 186, William-street.

WANTED, a respectable MAN, to drive a merchant's van and assist in store. Apply W. M'Keown, Barrack-street stand.

WANTED, a WAITRESS, to assist in housework; also, a NURSEMAID, at once. Apply at Lord Nelson Hotel, Miller's Point.

WANTED, experienced young person, as BARMAID; good references indispensable. Apply early, Carter's Hotel, corner George and Park streets.

WANTED, COOK and Laundress, wages 15s; also, wanted, good General SERVANT, good wages. Apply Mr. Wiseman's Registry, King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, Man COOK and Female WAITRESS. Apply, 10 to 1 o'clock, corner of Margaret and Kent streets. Mr. Dove, butcher.

WANTED, MARRIED COUPLE, man as gardener and coachman, woman as cook and laundress. Apply Potts and Paul, Erskine-street.

WANTED, a young Girl as House and Parlour MAID. Apply between 10 and 1 o'clock, Mrs. Robert Miller, Livingston-street, Petersham.

WANTED, for Fiji, PLOUGHMEN, liberal wages to good hands. Apply between the hours 2 and 5 p.m., at office, J. C. Smith, 26, O'Connell-street.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as NURSE, and to assist in housework. Apply to Mrs. Craven, Preston House, Blue's Point, North Shore.

WANTED, a smart LAD, to sell papers at Petersham station; wages to commence, 10s; hours, from 6 to 6. Apply book stall, Redfern railway station, 1.30 p.m.

WANTED, a respectable WOMAN, to assist in the laundry two days in the week; must be good ironer. Mrs. G. N. Russell, Pelham Hall, Fourth-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, BOYS, for milkcarts; wages from 10s to 15s per week. Also, a Youth for the yard; wages, £1 per week. H. Pateson, milkyard, bottom of Liverpool-street.

WANTED, a competent COOK, for North Shore; references required. Apply, before 1 o'clock, to Mrs. Munro, Harbours and Rivers Branch Office, Phillip-street North.

WANTED, a respectable young Person as NURSEMAID, good wages. Apply, after 10, with references, Mrs. P. T. Riley, Riley Brothers, 600, George-street, side entrance.

WANTED, a competent General SERVANT, for the country, 2 hours' rail from Sydney; no washing or ironing; a girl kept to assist in housework; good wages. Apply Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a respectable Person, between 20 and 30, as MAID to three children between 5 and 12. She must be cheerful, good tempered, and domesticated, a good plain needlewoman, and able to teach needlework. Apply by letter, with references, to X. A. Y., Post-office, William-street.

WANTED, a Man Cook for country hotel, 30s, good billet; 2 Waiters, £1; young Man, help groom, garden, &c. (town); a Boots, milk, &c., 15s; Chinaman gardener, £1; Married Couple as groom, drive, &c., wife cook and laundress, £75 (Bathurst); a Married Couple as general servants, £70 (Walleendbeen), &c. Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a Cook and Laundress, 16s, and H. and P.-Maid, 14s, for small family, Tamworth; a Laundress, 18s, Hotel, Young; a H. and P., 14s, Potts Point; a Barmaid, £1; a H. Maid assist bar, 14s, town; 23 young General Servants, country; a H.Maid, assist kitchen, Windsor, 14s; 2 Waitresses, 15s, &c. Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, Pick-and-Shovel MEN for the Goulburn to Cooma Railway.
Apply on the Works; or to
TOPHAM, ANGUS, and CO.,
Joppa Camp,
Goulburn.
15th September, 1883.

YOUNG girl as NURSE. Mrs. Murdoch, Taylemire, King-street, Balmain.

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ACCOMMODATION for lady and gent. or friends; no other lodgers. 29, Glebe-road.

A BALCONY ROOM, suit 2 friends or married couple; use bath and kitchen. 384, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

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